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BASEBALL

EXTRA No. 1

ATHLETICS-RED SOX GAME.

FIRST GAME.

FIRST—Moss fanned. Baker threw Lord out. Speaker flied to Murray and Wagner. NO RUNS. Hoffman fanned. Easter flied to Cooper. Collins fanned. NO RUNS.

SECOND—Lord struck out. Speaker threw out Murray. McConnell struck out. NO RUNS.

THIRD—Oldring struck out. Murray threw out Livingstone. Plank and Moss struck out. NO RUNS.

FOURTH—Wagner threw out Speaker. Lord and Wagner threw out Plank. Baker doubled. Archer fanned. Baker was doubled. Hoffman's hit. Easter flied to Murray. Cooper singled. Wagner threw out Collins. NO RUNS.

FIFTH—Oldring singled. Murray threw out Livingstone. Plank and Moss struck out. NO RUNS.

PHILLIES-DOVES GAME.

FIRST GAME.

FIRST—Grant singled. Bates walked. Titus sacrificed. Dolly Gray struck out. Dooin scored Grant, but Bates was nailed at the plate. Titus to Archer. ONE RUN. Thomas struck out. Becker singled. Sheckard forced Becker. Sheckard scored on passed ball. McQuillan struck out. ONE RUN.

SECOND—Knabe struck out. Ward singled. Grant forced Ward. Bates singled. Knabe forced Titus. Dolly Gray struck out. NO RUNS. Doolan struck out. Becker flied to Knabe. Sheckard flied to Knabe. NO RUNS.

THIRD—Titus struck out. Dooin threw out Thomas. Becker struck out. NO RUNS.

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FIFTH—Titus struck out. Dooin threw out Thomas. Becker struck out. NO RUNS.

SENTENCE ON ASSAULT CHARGE.

Edward Dominick, with assault and battery on Elmer Watts, an employe of the Cambridge Court-house, was sentenced to 40 days in the House of Correction by Judge Hayes of the Cambridge Court to-day. He appealed.

PEARY DENOUNCES COOK

RED SOX GO AFTER MACKMEN

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	ATHLETICS.
Niles, l.f.	Hultzmller, l.f.
Lord, 3b.	Barry, s.s.
Speaker, c.f.	Collins, 2b.
Wagner, s.s.	Baker, 3b.
Stahl, 1b.	Davis, 1b.
McConnell, 2b.	Murphy, r.f.
Hooper, r.f.	Oldring, c.f.
Carrigan, c.	Livingstone, c.
Cicotte, p.	Plank, p.

Umpires—Egan and Sheridan.
Attendance—20,000.

SHIBE PARK, Philadelphia, Sept. 11.—Boston's last clash with the Athletics of this city came about this afternoon in the shape of a double-header which began early so as to permit of no trouble on account of darkness. Three games had been scheduled but owing to yesterday's rain one game has gone to the list of those that will never be played. John I. Taylor, owner of the Boston club, volunteered to play all three games to-day; one in the morning, but Connie Mack refused to take advantage of the generous offer saying that such a course, if the Athletics proved successful might be wrongly construed by the other clubs and would moreover cause a bad precedent.

Special interest was shown in this last series owing to Mr. Taylor's declaration to the effect that although Boston might be distanced in this year's race the team would do its best to down both the Tigers and Athletics.

Cicotte and Wood for Boston and Krause and Plank for Philadelphia were the pitchers selected announced by Managers Lake and Mack for the afternoon with Smith for Boston and Coombs for Philadelphia on the reserve in case of accident.

SON IS SICK, STORROW OFF FOR GERMANY

The friends of James J. Storrow, president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, were greatly disappointed to-day on learning that he would be unable to preside at the big banquet to President Taft in Mechanics Hall, Tuesday night, owing to the illness of his seventeen-year-old son James J. Storrow, who is in Bremen, Germany, with a slight attack of typhoid fever.

Mr. Storrow is now en route for Germany to see his son. He sailed on the Lusitania from New York on Wednesday. Daily cables have been received from the sick bed, which state that the boy is steadily improving. He was taken sick one week ago to-day.

Because of Mr. Storrow's departure Bernard J. Rothwell, first vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce, will preside at the Taft banquet.

REBEL MOORS BEG FOR PEACE

MADRID, Sept. 11.—The Moors have sued for peace as the result of the landing of 11,000 reinforcements of Spanish troops under General Sotomayor at Melilla and other points along the Moroccan coast. Spain will not grant peace, and the campaign planned by General Marina will go forward until the Kabyle riboseers are completely subdued. Hostilities continue at various points.

COURT SUSTAINS HEINZE DEMURRER

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Judge Hough in the United States Circuit Court to-day handed down an order sustaining the demurrer on behalf of F. Augustus Heinze charging him with conspiracy. This does away with the charge of conspiracy made against Heinze for the mutilation and the disappearance of books of the United Copper Company. Judge Hough also dismissed fifteen of sixteen counts found by the Grand Jury against F. Augustus Heinze for misapplication of funds of the Mercantile Bank.

Rudolph Francke, Who Accuses Lieut. Peary

Companion of Dr. Cook, who says Peary opened and changed letters written by Dr. Cook.

COOK OFF FOR HOME; GETS GREAT SEND-OFF

CHRISTIANSAND, Sept. 11.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the American Arctic explorer, was given an enthusiastic reception by the city authorities and the public when he arrived here to-day. The water front was thronged with people, who cheered vociferously as the man who first reached the North Pole walked down the gangplank of the steamer Melchair, from which he had come from Copenhagen, accompanied by an official delegation appointed by the city as a committee to welcome him.

Dr. Cook was plainly pleased with the warmth of his welcome, and to the reception committee expressed his appreciation of the kindly hospitality and confidence shown him and his claim to the discovery of the Pole. As the crowds on the piers cheered him and crowded about him he walked to the vehicle which was in waiting for him and, on reaching a hotel, he smiled happily, waved his hands to them, and repeatedly lifted his hat.

Dr. Cook sailed from here to-day at 12:30 o'clock on the Oscar II. for New York, which is scheduled to arrive on September 20.

PEARY SAILS FOR SYDNEY TO-NIGHT

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 11.—The steamer Roosevelt, with Commander Peary and his successful expedition on board, will leave Battle Harbor, Labrador, to-night, for Sydney. The Roosevelt was still at Battle Harbor to-day. The coaling was completed and the final repairs made to the machinery.

2,000 DRUGGISTS TO MEET IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Two thousand druggists from all parts of the United States will be in attendance at the seventh annual convention of the United Drug Company which will be held in Chicago September 14, 15 and 16. The program includes a trip to Fort Sheridan, automobile tour and theatre party. The delegates will represent a business of over $100,000,000 a year.

FELL 25 FEET; IS IN HOSPITAL

William F. Lumley, thirty-three years old, married and living at No. 15 Walker street, Melrose, while at work on the elevated terminal station at Forest Hills square fell twenty-five feet to the ground.

He received a fracture of the left wrist, dislocation of a rib on the left side and contusions of the hip and forehead. He was taken to the City Hospital.

CALLS RIVAL 'GOLD BRICK'

Explorer Declares Dr. Cook Has Not Been to Pole, and He Has Proofs—Flat Challenge of Brooklyn Man's Feat in Wireless Message To-day.

BATTLE HARBOR, Labrador (via Marconi Wireless, Cape Ray, N. F.), Sept. 10.—The Roosevelt will remain here three or four days coaling and overhauling ship. I expect to arrive at Sydney about Sept. 15.

Do not trouble about Cook's story or attempt to explain any discrepancies in his statements. The affair will settle itself.

He has not been at the Pole, on April 21, 1908, or at any other time. He has simply handed the public a gold brick.

These statements are made advisedly, and I have proof of them. When he makes a full statement of his journey, over his signature, to some geographical society or other reputable body, if that statement contains the claim that he has reached the Pole, I shall be in a position to furnish material that may prove distinctly interesting reading for the public.

(Signed) ROBERT E. PEARY.

Wireless from Peary Discredits Cook

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The following telegram was received by the American News Service to-day from Commander Robert E. Peary:

BATTLE BARBOR (via Marconi wireless, Cape Ray, N. F.), Sept. 11.—To the American News Service, New York:

I DO NOT CREDIT COOK'S ALLEGED DISCOVERY OF THE NORTH POLE.

(Signed) PEARY.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Commander Peary's first official notification to the Navy Department direct of his return and of his discovery of the North Pole came in the department to-day in the following dispatch:

BATTLE HARBOR (via wireless, Cape Ray, N. F.), Sept. 11.—Respectfully report my return. Hoisted navy ensign on North Pole April 6. PEARY.

The following reply was at once sent to Commander Peary:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.—Civil Engineer Peary, Battle Harbor, via Cape Ray, N. F.: Your telegraphic report received. Navy Department extends hearty congratulations upon your successful attempt to reach North Pole. (Signed) WINTHROP, Acting Secy.

Took Pole for America

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Under date of September 10, the Secretary of State to-day received the following telegram from Commander Peary:

BATTLE HARBOR, Labrador (via wireless, Cape Ray, N. F.).—To the Honorable the Secretary of State, Washington, D. C.: Respectfully report hoisted Stars and Stripes on North Pole and formally took possession of that entire region and adjacent for and in name of President and United States of North America. Record and United States flag left in possession. PEARY.

(Signed)

COOK'S RECORDS IN WHITNEY'S HANDS

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 11.—Before sailing Dr. Cook issued a public statement thanking the citizens for their hearty reception and the treatment accorded him while a visitor. He said:

"You were the first to open my eyes to the joys of civilization. I go home with the cheers of enthusiasm, which I shall ever hear.

"As I am about to leave Copenhagen, the first place in the civilized world upon which I set my foot on my return from the pole, I desire to express to the Danish people my very high appreciation of the kindness shown to me on all sides. I thank you, one and all, for your good feeling."

On the eve of his departure from Copenhagen Dr. Cook gave an interview in which he reasserted that his original records had been sent in America. He admitted that some explanation of his parting with them was necessary. Moreover he recognized now, he said, that if he had been able to submit them to competent persons every doubt would have been dispelled.

The facts were that when he was returning to Annatok he met Mr. Whitney, who was waiting on his yacht. Being himself restless with the great news he had to tell, he preferred to go to the nearest point where a steamer for Europe could be found. Aware of the risks of the journey to Upernavik he copied the original records and handed over the latter, with his sextant and chronometers to Mr. Whitney.

"They are in safe hands," concluded Dr. Cook, "and if anybody says they are on board a sealer or on the Roosevelt and that Peary has seen them the sayer is misinformed."

The Copenhagen correspondent of the London Telegram quotes Dr. Cook as saying before he embarked:

"I have just received a cable from Mr. Whitney aboard the Peabody. He has my documents."

BEST MODERN FICTION—You get it free in the Sunday American's literary supplement.

DOVES TACKLE PHILLIES IN A DOUBLE-HEADER

BATTING ORDER.

PHILADELPHIA.	BOSTON.
Grant, 3b.	Thomas, l.f.
Bates, l.f.	Becker, r.f.
Titus, r.f.	Sheck, 2b.
Dahlinger, c.f.	Beck, c.f.
Knabe, 2b.	Getz, 3b.
Ward, 1b.	Autrey, 1b.
Doolan, s.s.	Graham, c.
Dooin, c.	Sweeney, s.s.
McQuillan, p.	Brown, p.

Umpires—Emslie and Kane.
Attendance, 2,000.

SOUTH END GROUNDS, Sept. 11.—Old Sol started on his job soon enough this morning to get the grounds into fair playing condition for the double-header between the Doves and Phillies and a good crowd turned out to see the last appearance this season of Billy Murray's crowd of disputers.

When the teams began at 1:30 to practice for the first game which was started at 2 o'clock the grounds were rather slow, but they grew faster ever minute and were plenty fast enough for the ball which was played.

Both Manager Frank Smith of the Doves and Manager Murray were anxious to win the games. Murray was anxious to land his high priced aggregation into the first division in order to satisfy the knockers at home, while Manager Smith wants to get his team out of the cellar position and he needed every possible game to accomplish his purpose.

CUT BY GLASS IN CAR CRASH

One man was hurt in a collision to-day between a city-bound South Boston car and a brewery wagon on East Eighth, near Loring street, South Boston. The car was going down grade at fair speed, and the front vestibule was smashed in.

There was some excitement among the passengers on the car. Most of the windows on the car were broken. One passenger was hit by flying glass and badly cut.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

SERIOUSLY HURT IN CRASH WITH CAR

While sight of his own home Edward Anderson of No. 9 Reed street, Woburn, was knocked from his wagon and seriously injured in a collision with a Woburn and Lexington electric car. The accident occurred at the junction of Reed and Pleasant streets. Anderson was taken to the Choate Memorial Hospital. He had numerous cuts about the head and badly and internal injuries. He will recover. Anderson is employed by the company whose car struck him and was riding on one of the company's wagons.

HUNTING HAUNTED TREASURE.—The true story of Captain Kidd's adventures. Only $1 per month. Read it in the Sunday American.

REVERE GAMES ARE PUT OFF

The Electric Light track and field meet scheduled for the Revere Cycle track tonight has been postponed until next Wednesday night. Yesterday's rain left the cinder track and jumping pits in such a condition that Manager Hugh C. McGrath decided to postpone the meet. The fact that it will be held during carnival week promises a larger number of entries than would have been to-night and the sport will be more interesting.

POET SINGS PRAISE OF "PAT" O'CONNOR

The charm of verse is being utilized in behalf of Senator Patrick Henry O'Connor of South Boston who is listed against Councilman O'Brien for reelection. Cards bearing the following effusion have been showered throughout the district:

Pat O'Connor is the man
It's back to the Senate for Pat.
Mr. McNary and his few friends
Can't stop Pat O'Connor, where where we're at,
For although O'Brien is running,
There's nothing for him but to learn
That it's one, two, three cheers for Pat
And his Second Term.

To get the right swing of the verse, it is necessary to understand that the words are to be sung to the tune of "Take Me Out to the Ball Game." Anna J. Connolly is the author.

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. is often the road to fortune.

PEARY'S STORY OF THE POLE CONFIRMS DR. COOK'S

Many Striking Similarities in Their Account of the Conditions Found in the Cheerless Ice Fields at Top of the World.

Further dispatches from Commander Peary to-day give details of his successful dash to the Pole and his perilous return to civilization.

In a wireless message to-day he says:

"Perhaps it is some influence of New England granite mountain and rockbound coast that has given me the staying power to find the great place."

Peary's continuation of his story to-day adds emphasis to what the AMERICAN pointed out yesterday, that there was a great similarity in experiences of Cook and Peary, and that whereas Cook was attended on the final dash by only two Eskimos, Peary also was unaccompanied by any white man, his companion being only his negro cook and four Eskimos.

The great similarity of the two explorers' experiences is illustrated in the following paragraphs taken from the printed reports:

PEARY SAYS—"The horizon was black, and the ice beneath was a ghastly, chalky white."

COOK SAYS—"An endless field of purple snows, a world of ice."

PEARY SAYS—"Coldest temperature at Pole 33 below zero."

COOK SAYS—"Coldest temperature at Pole 38 below zero."

PEARY SAYS—"Coldest temperature on trip 59 below."

COOK SAYS—"Coldest temperature I found 85 below."

PEARY SAYS—"No land."

COOK SAYS—"No land."

PEARY SAYS—"We made rapid progress on the last few miles to the Pole."

COOK SAYS—"The going was easy during the last sixty miles."

How the two men were impressed when at last triumphant they reached the Pole, is thus recorded:

WHAT PEARY SAW AT THE POLE:

"The Pole at last! The prize of three centuries, my dream and goal for twenty years; mine at last. I cannot bring myself to realize it!

WHAT COOK SAW AT THE POLE:

"A sense of intense loneliness came with the further scrutiny of the horizon.

"What a cheerless spot to have aroused the ambition of man for so many ages!

"An endless field of purple snows. No life. No land. No spot to relieve the monotony of frost. We were the only pulsating creatures in the dead world of ice.

In the discussion of the claims of Peary and Cook it is generally agreed that the evidence of the Eskimos, who are uneducated and know nothing about scientific instruments, will be of little value. Peary's negro cook Henson cannot be expected to add much light on the North Pole situation so far as furnishing real evidence is concerned. He knows nothing about science.

The presentation of the evidence before the United States Geodetic Survey by the two men has brought forth a discussion that seems to be unique. Peary is a United States officer and will necessarily present his proofs to that body. Cook is not required to present his facts to that body unless he volunteers to do so. But Cook has already declared that he will present his evidence to all the geographical societies in the world.

As a matter of fact neither Cook nor his friends claim for him that he has made any great and detailed scientific discoveries outside of the fact that he reached the Pole and that he reached it before any other man in the world.

The controversy resolves itself into the question of priority of its discovery. On that point Cook declares that he has almost a year the advantage of Peary.

The similarity of the two men's stories as to the conditions at the North Pole has added confirmation to Cook's story. Cook was not able to measure the depth of the water at the Pole because he had no instruments with which to do it. Peary tried to measure the depth of the water, but failed to find the bottom and his line broke. So that neither of the explorers were able to say how deep the ocean is at the Pole.

But as that Peary knows it to be deeper than 1,500 fathoms, the total length of his line which was lowered without touching bottom.

Cook's Story Highly Dramatic.

Peary's story contains many more interesting facts, though as a private narrative it is not near so dramatic and graphic as is Dr. Cook's story. The Brooklyn physician appears to be a much better writer than the scientific engineer of the navy, as is instanced in their descriptions and in their respective utterances when they first stood at the top of the world.

That neither man should have found the temperature at the Pole to be lower than thirty-eight below zero is remarkable when it is remembered that 10° degrees below zero has been officially recorded in certain sections of Siberia, while in Medicine Hat, British America, where most of our blizzards come from, a temperature of 40 and 50 degrees below zero is common.

The comparative mildness of the Polar climate seems all the more surprising when, in view of the recorded temperatures in the Black Hill region of our own Montana, Peary says that the coldest weather he noted was eighty-three degrees below zero.

The dogs with which Peary traveled seem to have served some of the purposes of the barometer, for their actions gave notice of a rise in temperature. They yelped and cavorted about, says Peary's story, and appeared in the happiest of moods one day when a rise of fifteen degrees was in the air. This rise caused a reduction of friction of the sledges, and made travel easier for the dogs.

Those dogs, the pick of the pack, by the way, according to Lieut. Peary's narrative, were made full partners in the jubilee which followed the actual discovery of the Pole. As a result they were served with a double portion of pemmican, the equivalent of about two pounds of beef in its power of nutrition, and with this extra food to supply steam the return trip was begun.

Begins Dash on April Fool's Day.

An interesting sidelight on Peary's dash for the Pole is the fact that he set out for the goal on April Fool's day, the most serious but of business he ever undertook, while one-half of the world was exercising its brain in nonsense.

If Lieutenant Peary himself was overwhelmed with joy as he stood at the Pole, his Eskimo companions were simply delirious with joy, he says. They capered over the ice, crazy with delight, singing and jumping and clapping their hands until ready to drop from fatigue. The quickness and ease of the return trip so impressed the simple-minded Eskimos that one of them explained it by saying that the evil spirit who dominates the North was either asleep or too occupied in a fight with his wife to make trouble for the voyagers.

When the party had again returned to Cape Columbia, every one was exhausted to a point approaching insensibility. The dogs were fed four pounds of pemmican each, an enormous meal, to keep them quiet, and all hands turned in for sleep. They slept for twenty-four hours on a stretch before resuming the march back to the Roosevelt.

The intense silence at the pole impressed both of the explorers. The ice appeared slightly different in color to the two men, Cook speaking of it as purple, while Peary found it chalky white. This is not regarded as a confliction of facts, as the colors naturally have appeared to various persons different. There are striking similarities, however, in the descriptions of the ice conditions. Both men use the same terms in describing "old ice" and "young ice."

The condition of the ice for fast traveling is described by both men in about the same terms. Peary made on some days a high as thirty-five miles, while Cook made between twenty-seven and twenty-eight miles. When Cook first announced that he had been able to skim over the ice at this fast rate he was denounced by friends of Peary as telling an improbable story. Peary himself comes to the front on this point and corroborates Cook.

Royal Rewards for the Eskimos.

Lieutenant Peary's detailed story of the trip bestows unstinted praise upon his companions. Captain Bartlett, Borup, the Yale runner; Professor McMillan of Worcester, Chief Engineer Wardwell and Henson, the negro, who accompanied Peary to the coveted spot, all come in for words of highest commendation for the aid they rendered in their respective lines.

All the Eskimos on the expedition have been left well provided for, says Lieutenant Peary. One young fellow in particular, who had never been engaged in so adventurous a work, won for his loyalty as one of the four who got to the Pole, a shotgun, rifle, boat, ammunition, regal gifts to him for it would enable him to coax consent from the stubborn parent of his sweetheart who was bodding out against a wedding.

All the others whom Peary has just left at home are the happy possessors, he says, of ample supplies for the coming Winter, as a reward for their loyalty.

And now with Peary at Indian Harbor about to start back to home and family, Dr. Cook is also on the seas bound for the United States.

He left Copenhagen yesterday, and sailed from Christiansand to-day on the steamship Oscar II., which was waiting to bring him to American shores.

Managing Director Cold of the Scandinavian-American Steamship Company, who is a former Governor of the Danish West Indies, accompanied Dr. Cook. He said that the Oscar II. could reach New York Monday, September 20, but that he thought it better to keep her to her scheduled time and arrive Tuesday, the 21st.

Dr. Cook's departure from Copenhagen was quite in line with the hospitable treatment he has received since landing here a week ago. Before the gangplank of the Melchior, on which he started for Christiansand, was drawn up there was a pleasant ceremony in the cabin of the yacht, which was attended by Maurice L. Egan, the American Minister to Denmark, and Miss Egan, the rector of the University of Copenhagen and a number of geographers. Admiral Dekkichelin, in a speech, thanked Dr. Cook for returning to the United States under the Danish flag.

"Green-eyed envy and jealousy," the admiral said, "are doing their envenomed work, but we in Denmark believe in you absolutely."

Speaking tersely, just before sailing, Dr. Cook said:

"I am perfectly willing to put my records before the American coast and geodetic survey to be compared with those of Commander Peary, but I do not see why I should ask for such a comparison first."

Asked if he had any message for the public, Dr. Cook replied: "Don't you think that would be rather presumptuous? All I want is to get home to my wife and children, and to finish my work."

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The 98c Values Were Not Even Mentioned

A lot of Corset Covers at 21c were advertised for Wednesday, September 8th. There were about 360 garments in the lot, practically all of which were closed out, in addition to several other lots which we added to supply calls throughout the day. In our advertisement we stated "29c to 98c values," but among the lot were a few 98c garments. All of these were sold out within the first half-hour. This incident illustrates two important points about the Tunnel Bargain Basement—"The Best Values are Often Sold Out First," and "Many of the Best Values are Not Advertised."

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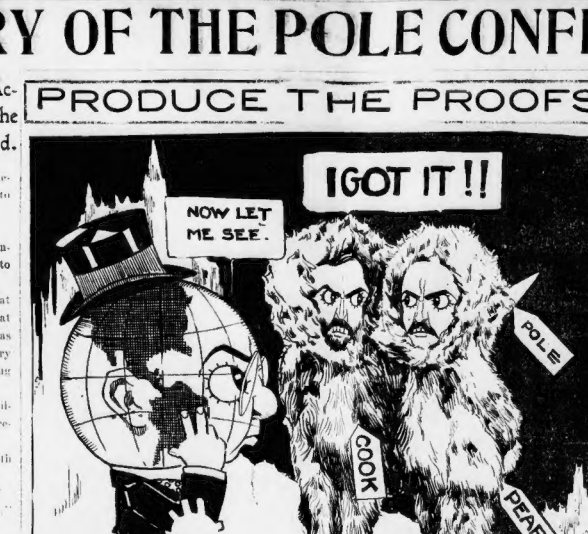

PEARY'S OWN STORY BEARS OUT COOK'S CLAIM, SAYS FIALA

Anthony Fiala, the explorer, has made an interesting comparison for the BOSTON AMERICAN between the summaries of Commander Peary's and Dr. Cook's reports, and he sees much corroboration of the latter in the Commander's data.

In a special dispatch to the AMERICAN from New York to-day Mr. Fiala says:

"Peary says that he found nothing but a flat waste of ice at the pole, and thereby fully substantiates Dr. Cook's claim to have also reached the coveted goal, for Cook also found nothing but a wate of ice. The reports of both men were identical, and as Cook returned first it is without reason to doubt that we must accept tha he visited the pole.

"If Commander Peary had discovered a tract of land or mammoth ice mountains at the Pole then there would have been reason to discredit Dr. Cook, but he did not. He found just what Cook and he himself discovered, a flat waste of ice.

"Day by day Peary's story has grown steadily mixed, confirming Cook's statements. First it was doubted that Cook could have made the rapid travel he did. That was regarded the principal evidence against his story. But then came Peary with an even more incredible record of swift travel. Now we have Peary's description of the Pole calling greeted with that of Cook. What better testimonial could Dr. Cook have?

"While Peary has declared that he will discredit Cook's story, there has been nothing in any of his reports of his voyage to fulfill his promise. His actual experiences merely corroborates Cooks.

"There can be no doubt about it, Peary's accomplishment was a most wonderful one.

"But what of Cook? Peary was equipped and facilitated with great resources at every turn. Cook was forced to rely upon his own nerve and far less facilities. I am inclined to believe under the circumstances that Cook's achievement was fully as marvelous as that of Peary.

"Cook was stamped as a possible pole variety because there was no white man with him during his journey—because he had the courage and hardihood to make his dash alone. It was argued that he could not have made his observations alone and that there was no reason to suppose he reached the Pole merely because he said he did.

Peary's own story shows that he sent back the last white man when he reached a distance 134 miles of the pole and that he continued on alone except for his Eskimos and Matt Henson his negro valet. While Henson's bravery and faithfulness cannot be doubted it is known that his knowledge as a scientist amounts to little. So if Cook's solitary adventures are not to be accepted as fairly face value, what are we to say as to Peary's story of what he found and where he went?

"One of the most remarkable things about the Peary expedition was that remarkable swiftness with which the return trip was negotiated. This swiftness was permitted by frequent bases along the line of march.

Cook had no supply bases. He had to forage his way back. Had he been equipped with supply caches he would, I think, have been able to have returned a year ago.

"I was one of the first to be skeptical of Cook's report that he encountered a temperature of minus 80 degrees Fahrenheit, but I had previously heard of 90 degrees but doubted it.

"So I took pains to communicate with Willis L. Moore of the Weather Bureau in Washington and he informed me that official records disclose a record of 102 degrees below zero at Verkoyansk. So there is no ground to think that Dr. Cook was falsifying when he announced his temperature records. It is time enough, however, to thresh the whole thing out when Captain Whitney gets back in October with Dr. Cook's records."

WHY CHILDREN BECOME BAD—The scientific American will give to Fresh Air Fund the latest discovery of surgery. An invention that expands or contracts eyes, ears and nose.

SCIENTISTS GIVING COOK FULL CREDIT

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Scientists declared today that Dr. Cook's story of his dash to the North Pole and back is corroborated by the installment of Commander Peary's account as published here to-day in the Times.

A striking similarity in the description of the Arctic ice begins beyond the 88th parallel of latitude and within the very shadow of the Pole in the narratives of the two explorers in vividly similar description of the smooth, glacial surfaces and the rapid time these conditions enabled both men to make—work for to shatter the skepticism concerning Cook's exploit.

So identical in certain other details been out the statements of Dr. Cook that today scientists and geographers who had held aloof from the controversy declared their faith in the physician-explorer's story while, of course, crediting Commander Peary's story and using it as a basis of comparison. In the matter of temperature the biggest discrepancy exists. Peary speaks of the temperature ranging from 33 degrees to 12 on April 7, the day he left the Pole. Cook's figures ranged fully 50 degrees lower.

After leaving the 88th parallel, Peary set out alone in his dog sledge, leaving the other members of the party to break camp and follow him. Among the party was one keen young Eskimo, who had been promised a rifle, according to report, if he would complete the journey to the North even goal with Peary.

Peary Bears Out Cook.

So eager was this young chap for the daring dash that it led to a question of his enthusiasm until it was found that he was in love with an Eskimo girl, but was too poor to marry her until he became an "Ahmo plutocrat, which merely consists in owning a gun and a boat.

Peary's description of the ice fields beyond the 88th parallel bears out Cook's description. The surface was smooth and on level as a billiard fringe, broken only occasionally with ridges and with very little open water. The dogs were able to proceed at a gallop and in one run of ten hours immediately after passing the 88th parallel Peary made twenty miles. The 88th parallel the temperature was 40 degrees below zero. Passing the 89th Peary made twenty-two miles in a single dash in a bitter wind so cold that the flesh cracked and even the Eskimos complained.

Beyond the 89th, the sky was more clear, the horizon wider and grimly desolation indescribable, and a blinding glare by night, and the solitude broken only by the groaning of the crowding ice floes over which the sledges sped. Cook had called it a desolate spot, the solitude unbroken, and the silence and loneliness oppressive.

As Peary proceeded the going grew better and faster time was made—another important point completely eliminating Dr. Cook, and apparently tearing out his narrative completely. In twenty hours the Peary party was able to make forty miles.

There was not a single stretch of open water to hinder progress. The goal was almost in sight. Commander Peary took observations at frequent intervals, until he had established his fact. The commander had realized the ambition of his life.

Starts Race Back.

He was at the North Pole. A detour of some eighteen miles was made about the Pole, observations being taken almost constantly to establish beyond all proof of the discovery, but for scientific values subsequently.

On the afternoon of April 7 a sounding was made five miles from the North Pole. The plummet dropped 9,000 feet into the sea and still did not touch bottom.

Then started the race home. A gale sprang up with stifling winds and blinding snow. Luck favored Peary, just as good fortune had favored Cook the year before.

When Peary arrived at the Roosevelt filled with joy at the great feat he had just consummated, his first thought was turned to sorrow by learning of the death of Professor Marvin.

The Daily Chronicle is sending a correspondent to New York to watch the Peary-Cook controversy.

FRENCH EDITOR SAYS PEARY STORY IS UNTRUSTWORTHY

PARIS, Sept. 11.—The Matin published a special edition containing the first installment of Mr. Peary's story. The home has been selling by thousands all day and in every part of the city.

Every man, woman and child in Paris knows what the hero is telling about, the greatest work of modern days. The Matin's comment respectfully. The Temps makes a savage attack on Peary's veracity, declaring his narrative equally untrustworthy with Cook's. La Liberte says the latter is conclusive.

In commenting on the story the Temps says that Commander Peary's reflections upon Dr. Cook are incomprehensible. The Temps expresses the opinion that the first part of Peary's recital is really favorable to Dr. Cook.

It says that Peary's story is obscure, and even inconsistent, pointing out particularly that whereas his diary up to March 15 is scrupulously precise, thereafter it shows a hiatus and dates are observed and confusing. For instance, when the story stops Captain Bartlett had been sent back.

The exposition was then in 87-88, and still far from the Pole," the Temps says, "Peary now proceeds alone, and whatever suspicion has been aroused by this is equally applicable to him. Peary's recital of his journey alone offered nothing more worthy of credence than Cook's.

Nothing succeeds like circulation. The AMERICAN has quantity and quality.

TO DIVIDE WARD 9.

Several hundred members of the Ward 17 Tammany Club, headed by Alderman Curley, will invade Ward 9 to-night to repeat their verbal battle against James Donovan and James H. Doyle. The rendezvous will be at the corner of Rose street and Harrison avenue.

REPORT OF PEARY SPEAKS FOR ITSELF DECLARES BRIDGMAN.

By HERBERT L. BRIDGMAN.

SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 11.—Peary's full report of his dash to the Pole is to be accepted at its face value in every line and statement. Its every sentence is a reflection to subordinates increase admiration of his leadership. Its every sentence is a convincingness of Commander Peary's plans in every detail and its every sentence illustrates the perfection both of his discipline and equipment. It sets at rest the correctness of Peary's methods as deduced from the experience in the long struggle.

If further offers proof of the futility of other routes and certainty of methods. Peary's story seems to dispose of polar attack by balloon, aeroplane, or floating drift of lumber. Pole and arctic-by-heated gardens for some time to come.

The publication of the scientific side of the work is shown in the detailed current and other observations.

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MODERN METHODS OF TREATING ASTHMA and HAY FEVER

California, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Nevada, Wyoming and some other States of the Union, or portions of these States, are almost universally believed by sufferers who have not visited them to be "exempt localities" for Asthma and Hay-Fever. This belief is fostered by the unthinking advice of friends, by the recommendations of physicians who do not know wherof they speak, and by the hopelessness of sufferers who "have tried everything else."

Well informed people know that this idea is erroneous. There are sufferers in every State of the Union and in every part of every State, many of whom have gone to their present location in the hope of escaping from the power of their disease. Many of these have called themselves from home and friends and some have sacrificed all of their property and their future prospects in seeking by climatic change the relief they must have. A few have succeeded, but it has been a vain hope with the greater portion. Many of those who find that they have not obtained the relief and cure they were told or believed they would receive, or they have have secured a respite more or less transient from their suffering, and after a brief period of "being better" have found to their horror that the disease was still with them and the vaunted climatic cure was after all a delusion.

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"SAW PEARY OPEN COOK LETTERS," SWEARS WHITE

Commander's Aide Says "He Acted as if He Owned the North"; "Forced Into Dishonorable Acts," Charges Francke.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Friends of Dr. Cook will explode a bombshell upon the arrival of Peary and Cook in this city. This will take the form of affidavits sworn to by Joseph White, who was a member of the Peary expedition, and by Rudolph Francke, who accompanied Dr. Cook.

In these affidavits Commander Peary is accused of opening letters entrusted by Dr. Cook to Francke, in his own employ, to bring back from the Arctic seas.

These letters disclosed Dr. Cook's plans and progress toward the Pole. When Francke became disabled and left Dr. Cook he started for home, and the Peary expedition on the way back, and spent several days on the Roosevelt.

Francke has sworn that Dr. Cook's letters were not only read but changed by some one on the Roosevelt.

Can Prove Accusations.

Francke, when seen by an American reporter at his home on West Thirty-ninth street, to-day said:

"I have been told not to say one word and I shall try to carry out the wishes of my employers. I have been trying to keep out of the way until Dr. Cook gets back. I have made my affidavit to Bradley and Captain Osbon, and I stick to what I said there.

"I must not talk about any letter I had of Dr. Cook's being opened. I had to do all that I did and I have made a full statement of the case. I can prove what has happened, and it will make things lively.

"But Peary force you to open a letter?

"I was forced to do some things, but Bradley is the only one who can tell about them just now. All I can say is that I went with Cook until I was sick and he sent me back with some things. Then I managed to get back aboard the Peary supply ship. Cook was always a gentleman. **If he says he reached the Pole every one can be sure he did.**

"Why, Peary told me that some of Dr. Cook's letters could not have been sent if I must not start talking. I just will not say another word. My affidavits are all right."

Dr. Cook's Letter Opened.

Joseph White is now running an elevator in a large building in Twenty-first street. When asked about his acquaintance with Francke, he said:

"It's going to make a big row. I have promised not to tell what happened after I was there when Dr. Cook's letter was opened by Peary and I know some things besides.

"Why, Peary just acted as if he owned everything and everybody in the North. **He was just mad to think there was any one else trying to do any exploring.** I was in his expedition and he tried to keep even his own men from doing anything that wouldn't let any one take photographs, but I took some without his knowing it. Then he sent me back as assistant steward on the supply ship.

"I met Francke at Etah. He had reached there after being sent back by Dr. Cook, and he had some papers and instruments that had been given him to take care of in Dr. Cook's absence. There were some there that belonged to Dr. Cook, and there were several lively times. I would like to talk about the affair, but have given a solemn promise to keep quiet until Dr. Cook gets back.

Knew What They Contained.

"I think I have read that Peary himself admits knowing about Dr. Cook's letters and saying that they could not have been written from where they were dated. He knew what was in the letters, all right."

Dr. Thomas A. Dedrick, who accompanied one of the Peary expeditions, says that he is unable to account for the movements of Harry Whitney.

"I do not impugn the motives of any one," said Dr. Dedrick, "but from either Dr. Cook or Peary standpoint it is unexplainable to me why Whitney did not return in the Roosevelt. If Whitney had any of the scientific data of Dr. Cook, then certainly Dr. Cook's rival must expect to have his motives questioned if he did not arrange to bring Whitney back on the first homeward-bound vessel.

"If Peary, from his knowledge of the Eskimos, thinks Dr. Cook did not get out of sight of land, then **Peary's return to civilization with the cargo of records and without bringing an important witness** is a task with him is quite inconsequensible."

"Done Under Duress."

Captain S. B. Osborn, of the Arctic Club, to whom Francke and White made the affadavits, said, to-day:

"Letters written by Dr. Cook were opened and then resealed. Peary sent friends in all parts of the country fox skins secured by Dr. Cook and two forced Francke to sign a letter excusing this conduct. The affidavits will show that this was done under duress.

"I think I could tell now all that happened to Francke while he had Dr. Cook's letters and property. It would be pretty subtly interesting in view of the mystery that seems to involve the affairs of Harry Whitney from the time Peary and Harry Whitney had some of Dr. Cook's records."

OH, YOU KIDS!

BARTLETT SAYS PEARY SEIZED COOK'S STORES

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Sept. 11.—Captain Moses Bartlett of Brigus, who commanded Dr. Cook's schooner John R. Bradley, which was fitted out at Gloucester, Mass., in 1907, has issued a public statement as follows:

"Dr. Cook is correct in stating that Peary took his provisions after the steamer Erik returned to Brigus last Fall. Three of her crew, who belonged to Brigus, told me that when Peary arrived at Etah that Thanksgiving took possession of all the stores I had left there the previous Fall for Cook against his return from the North.

"These men say they helped to move the stuff from where I left it. They are now on the Labrador coast.

"This supply consisted of two dory loads of stores, food and kerosene, which our crew piled on the beach, and then placed the dories over bottom side up, piling stones around and above them to make a cache.

"At Annatook, thirty miles north, where Cook landed, I had previously put ashore two years' supplies for Cook and five tons of hard coal. Our vessel, the John R. Bradley, was laden with stores and ten tons of hard coal.

Peary Without Stores.

"When Cook landed we gave him half the coal and the stores, except what we required to bring us home. Cook could not steal Peary's provisions, because Peary had none on any part of the coast. Anyhow I used up all the provisions left there by previous expeditions in his 1905-06 trip."

Captain Moses Bartlett is believed to be a relative of the Captain Bartlett of the Roosevelt. Richard Pike, chief engineer of the steamer Erik, which served as an auxiliary vessel for Commander Peary last year, by conveying stores and coal to Etah to supplement those on the Roosevelt, said that the stores that Cook's provisions, but were they put on board of Peary's ship.

Took Food by Mistake.

Pike said:

"Peary left two men of the Roosevelt, the Indianola and one of the firemen, with the immense accumulation of supplies he left at Etah when the Roosevelt went North, and the Erik came South. These men apparently in addition took some of Cook's stores that were also cached there."

Another member of the Erik's crew, who refused to have his name published, said that the stores were taken by an understanding with Francke, Cook's assistant, in part payment for his passage from Etah to the United States.

The stock of ivory, furs, skins and curiosities which Francke and Cook had accumulated were accepted as the equivalent of passage money. The seaman said at that time Cook was regarded as dead, so he had been paid off. His stores and belongings were regarded as legitimately available for this purpose.

Finally the story goes, was given to understand that in return for these gifts, a relief expedition would be organized as a sort of sideline by the Roosevelt's crew in search for Cook and bring him back should he be found alive.

A New Complication.

The statement made by the member of Peary's sailing vessel, the Erik, to the effect that the stores were taken by Peary in exchange for Francke's passage is upsetting one of the most fortunate things for the member of the Erik himself and for Cook. Peary is seeking to set straight, inasmuch as there was published a letter to the effect that Peary paid John R. Bradley a bill of $100 for Francke's passage.

DR. COOK EXPLAINS TO STEAD HIS ATTITUDE SINCE FINDING POLE

By W. T. STEAD.

Special Cable to Boston American.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Arriving at London, I find the anti-Cook sentiment strong, chiefly owing to Cook's having acted contrary to established conventional methods. The English are strong conservatives, and there is something almost contrary to nature in discovering the Pole without having first proclaimed to the world the intention of entering for the great prize.

Cook replies to this:

"I prefer to do first and talk afterward. Second, I couldn't proclaim my intention to go to the Pole before crossing Lincoln, because the decision was taken only after arriving in the Arctic where conditions were found conducive to success.

But his chief offense in English eyes lies in not following the established rule laid down by the English Royal Geographical Society according to official routine, before any traveler is allowed to report his discoveries to the society he must produce in some expert representative of the society his original notes, diary or records, and only after the expert has examined them may he read his paper.

Cook's Answers.

Cook didn't do this while in Copenhagen, therefore, "Dogs with Cook."

"I didn't seek to read any paper to any society anywhere. I objected strongly to making any statement beyond my brief, written report to the press," said Cook.

"What I wanted was to hurry home, collect my materials, submit them completely to experts and be examined by the best scientists in the world.

"But what could I do? Before I set foot on European soil enthusiastic Danish deputations, headed by the crown Prince, and the president of the Danish Geographical Society, overwhelmed me with congratulations, so insulting, without willing it, or expecting it, it was intended almost to death.

"The press, the social admirations for me morning, noon and night a thousand invitations, reverential deputations, from societies and old explorers made an enervating day; publishers drove me under with offers of thousands; my hundreds of thousands of dollars, the Danish Geographical Society votes me the gold medal. Bought I to have refused it because I hadn't any papers in order? The University of Copenhagen confers upon me an honorary degree.

"What could I do under these circumstances, which were none of my making?

Expected No Triumph.

"What would the press of the world have said if I had refused to speak one word, to see any reporter; if I had rejected all royal commands; had rebuked my kind English hosts for their too confiding belief in the word of an American citizen, and had refused honors they kindly heaped upon me?

"Surely I could not have played so churlish a part. I repeat, I neither invited nor expected such triumphs. When the Americans proposed a national reception I repeated that I claimed no exceptional merit in what was proven."

That is the substance of Cook's reply to the Peary charges. He has now a letter recalling the fact that the same charges were made against Shackleton on the same grounds to question whether Stanley ever discovered Livingstone. I myself shocking that an unknown American newspaper man found Livingstone, when the world's best known American newspaper, Stanley himself, was employed by the Royal Geographical Society. Ironic.

Story a Boomerang.

History decided Stanley was right.

The story about stealing stores has poor "stick" in it. Bradley, Francke and those who started it but Cook persisting in his main charge, will find the latter forbade their abandoning.

As I brought the first news of Peary's success to the world, I am in the sincerity of his despair at his end of the affair. I believe the field accusations against Cook are made in good faith from Peary and when our scientific staff has had time to study the records they will immediately look for the straightforward explanation of the whole matter. Cook is not afraid of anything in the light of day.

Judging the men solely from their behaviour to each other in this controversy, one would feel they would rather be wrong with Cook than right with Peary.

PEARY'S FAMILY WAITS AT SYDNEY

SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 11.—"This is my eighth visit to Sydney in connection with my husband's polar expeditions, and I am overjoyed at his success in reaching the Arctic," said Mrs. Robert E. Peary, wife of Commander Peary, as she and her two children stepped off the train.

Mrs. Peary has come to Sydney to await the arrival of her husband on the steamer Roosevelt.

Mrs. Peary said that she thought her husband ought now to be satisfied to stay at home and get acquainted with his family. "But I used to say," she continued, "that a man should not go to the Arctic region after he was forty years of age and the discovery of the Pole was the only thing he had not succeeded in, and I suppose he will discontinue his efforts at the age limit he himself set. On his present record Commander Peary was fifty-three.

"His son in Sydney will be very brief. Being an officer of the United States Navy, he must report without delay at Washington, and he likely will go there direct, with the possible exception of a day's rest at his Summer home on Eagle Island, Casco Bay, Me."

Mrs. Peary's animated and happy appearance bore witness to the pride and satisfaction she must feel over her husband's triumph. On the several former occasions when Mrs. Peary came to Sydney to meet her husband she was alone.

Commander Peary's married life has been closely identified with his hazardous enterprises, which explains the emotion which prompted him in the hour of the triumph of his life to send the first announcement, "Have made good at last." to Mrs. Peary at their Summer home in Maine. Later the commander wired his wife to come and meet him at Sydney, adding: "Bring the kids." The "kids" are Marie, aged 16, who was born in Greenland, and Robert E., Jr., aged 6. Tomorrow is Marie's birthday, and she hoped until to-day that the arrival of the Roosevelt, with her father on board, would not be delayed beyond that date.

Mrs. Peary expected to find a message from her husband when she reached here, but none was received. In the absence of any word the wife of the explorer concluded that his vessel is delayed for some reason or other and he is not in a position to say when he will make the port.

It is planned to make the welcome to Commander Peary at Sydney an informal demonstration, with Canadian and American officials joining in the tributes. Mayor Richardson has invited Hon. B. C. Tobin, crown governor of the province of Nova Scotia, and Premier G. H. Murray to be the guests of the city, and to extend the congratulations of the government. Although so far no formal word has been received, Premier Kehl will represent the United States.

The Roosevelt is expected from here to New York in order to take part in the Hudson-Fulton celebration. As yet Peary has not formally announced any plans, but Dr. P. McMillan, Consul Kehl, Mrs. Peary and her two children have been invited by Premier Bowers, of the Dominion Coal Company, to go to Sydney on his private yacht, which will go out to meet the ship as soon as she is sighted.

GERMANY IS WITH DR. COOK IN POLAR DISPUTE WITH PEARY

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—Commander Robert E. Peary's story of the discovery of the North Pole has excited the widest interest, Germany, however, had already rather definitely aligned itself on the side of Cook, although as far as can be judged, without any more vital reason than that Dr. Cook's parents had the good fortune to be born in the Fatherland and emigrate as children to the United States, where they Americanized their family and name from Koch to Cook.

Count Henckel von Donnersmarck, the Prussian Minister at Copenhagen, on behalf of the Duke of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, the president of the German Geographical Society, has formally invited Dr. Cook to address the society in Berlin.

Dr. Otto Baschin, the curator of the Geographical Institute University in Berlin, makes a comparative analysis of Dr. Cook's and Commander Peary's speed records and finds Commander Peary's story "confirms" Dr. Cook in that the commander traveled nearly faster both to and from the Pole than Dr. Cook, and therefore explodes the principal objection against Dr. Cook's account of the alleged impossibility of his rate of progress.

BANDITS GET $1,000 IN POSTAL BREAK

DUNBAR, Pa., Sept. 11.—Professional robbers broke into and dynamited the postoffice safe, secured $1,000 in cash and stamps and made good their escape.

Sea Nearly Two Miles Deep at Pole, According to Soundings by Peary

Here are some of the striking points brought out in the stories of Dr. Cook and Commander Peary.

One of the Eskimos whom Peary took went for the lure of a gun and a boat, which made him a plutocrat among his people and the beau ideal of the girls of the tribe.

On the afternoon of April 7, Commander Peary, then about five miles from the Pole, made a sounding. The plummet dropped 9,000 feet into the sea and did not strike bottom. This shows the ice is nearly two miles deep at the least.

Peary's description of the ice fields bears out Dr. Cook.

The Times' account says that the surface as Peary found it was level as a glacial fringe, with little open water beyond the 88th parallel.

Passing the 89th parallel Peary made twenty-five miles in a single dash in the face of a wind so bitter that the flesh cracked and even the Eskimos complained.

Peary says that beyond the 89th parallel the sky was more sombre, the horizon smoky and gray, desolation indescribable, not a living thing in sight.

Dr. Cook spoke of it as a desolate spot with solitude unbroken, silence and loneliness oppressive.

HOOK LOST OUT VICTIM WON

"I saw Washington cross the——" but that was about as far as the Bought's Neck fence got, for something obstructed his vision in the shape of a hook and the audience at the Columbia last evening was spared.

The young man came forth with hat and cane and when he got in the middle of the stage he was so rattled that he did not know how to get rid of them.

But all the amateurs were not of his build. Fred Wilson, a singer, had a hard road, but won over the entire house with his song. His voice was as clear as a bell and he won first prize with a big margin over his nearest rival.

Mike Kelly was the other winner, but what Mike did to get the prize he himself is not aware of. Perhaps it was owing to the fact that he outwitted the hook workers after various attempts to get him that put him in good with the crowd.

Of the young women who appeared Sophie Bennett was the big favorite and sang with all the dash of a professional. Miss Bennett has a pleasing presence and sang with skill, making much out of a rather commonplace song. Ethel Darling, a shapely little dancer, was also in strong with the crowd and was rightly the winner of the second prize.

CUTTLEFISH HEADS SUBMARINE FLEET

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 11.—A remarkable demonstration of the efficiency and possibilities of the naval submarines were completed when the first submarine flotilla, composed of the submarines Cutter, Cuttlefish, Terrapin and Octopus, with the parent ship Castine, a converted cruiser, returned to this port after a cruise practically in Narragansett Bay, the first time in the history of the United States navy that such practice has been held. The work was secret, but it was learned that the practice was divided into ports, speed tests and the firing of torpedoes, while entirely submerged and when partially submerged, with only the periscope showing.

As a result of the trails the Cuttlefish, commanded by Ensign Stimson B. Smith, was awarded the pennant, with the Terrapin second, the Octopus third and the Viper fourth.

KITCHENER PROMOTED.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Lord Kitchener, who recently succeeded the Duke of Connaught as inspector-general of the Mediterranean forces, has been made a field marshal of the British army.

MISS ELKINS TO MEET ABRUZZI

PARIS, Sept. 11.—There is a persistent rumor among the members of the American colony that the Duke of Abruzzi and Miss Katherine Elkins are to meet here—perhaps to-day. It is reported that the Duke has started to Paris from Naples and that every effort is being made to keep knowledge of his whereabouts from the public. He has made arrangements to meet Miss Elkins in Paris, because it is the one spot where their meeting is likely to cause no comment or attract to them any unwelcome attention.

Miss Elkins is denying herself to callers at her hotel. Word is brought from her apartment that she will not receive anyone. Stephen B. Elkins, Jr., and his mother are in Paris, but neither will comment on the reports that Miss Elkins is to meet her royal wooer here.

Miss Elkins has prolonged her stay abroad while the Duke of the Abruzzi was performing heroic feats of mountain climbing in the Himalayas, and it was known to their friends that their correspondence had not been interrupted, even when the Duke was in the most inaccessible regions.

It is believed by their friends that Miss Elkins agreed to wait in Europe until he should have accomplished the feats of mountain climbing he set out to perform, and that then he hurried back to Europe as fast as possible and is now on his way to Paris to meet her and renew the romance which all their friends now hope will happily end in their wedding.

BOY HUNTER KILLED.

CALAIS, Me., Sept. 11.—Paul, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Eye of this city was accidentally shot and killed in Woodland while while hunting with a party of young friends.

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LYNN GIRL IS ILL WITH RARE DISEASE

Ethel De Perkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Perkins of No. 83 Fiske avenue, Lynn, and a pupil in the Lynn High School, has been ill for the past eight weeks with acute anterior poliomyelitis, a disease similar to spinal fever, only the latter disease affects the brain, while the former the lower limbs of the body.

Dr. Mark Shrum, the attending physician to the girl, believes that she will eventually recover the use of her legs, and if she does she will be one of the few victims to recover from this terrible disease.

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PROHIBITION TICKET LED BY NICHOLS

"Organized greed" and "disorganized altruism" will be the slogans with which the Democratic parties were described, respectively, to-day by Eugene W. Chafin, at the state convention of the Prohibitionists held in Faneuil Hall. Professor John A. Nichols, the social reformer of this city, was selected as the party's candidate for Governor. Mr. Nichols, who last year was the party's candidate for President, is addressing the delegates, said:

"The only party in the United States that has accomplished anything in the last forty years is the Republican and Democratic parties are not, according to the honest declaration of their leaders, the honest democratic parties. One is organized greed and the Democratic party is disorganized altruism. When both these two whiskey parties get better than their party platforms, Prohibitionists."

The convention was called to order by Willard H. Adams, chairman of the state committee. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. W. Perrin of Boston. Professor Alfred H. Evans of Northampton was chosen temporary chairman and D. Thom of Lynn, secretary. J. B. Lewis then addressed the convention on the deceased members.

MYSTERY OF THE RED ROOM—Don't miss the fascinating, new mystery story by William Le Queux, in the Sunday American.

FISH EXPERT LEAVES GOVERNMENT EMPLOY

RUTLAND, Vt., Sept. 11.—John W. Titcomb, chief of the division of fish culture, Bureau of Fisheries, Washington, D. C., stated that he has resigned his position in the government service to accept a more lucrative one with Theodore N. Vail of Lyndonville, president of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company. Mr. Titcomb's duties in connection with his new position will be confined to the fish culture.

HARMON TRIAL PUT OFF TILL ALIENISTS ACT

James H. Harmon will not be put on trial for the murder in the Cambridge court house on Monday, as was first proposed. He is charged with the murder in Somerville on December 15 last of Maud H. Hartwell, aged 19 years, of Lynn, and has been indicted for first degree murder.

Today District Attorney John J. Higgins announced that he had consented to the request of the alienists' experts to have Harmon's sanity, chief Justice Albion of the Superior Court will appoint the alienists to examine the defendant. Mr. Higgins adds that Harmon is insane, he will be sent to the state hospital for the criminal insane, but if the alienists say he is sane, he will be tried for first degree murder. Harmon's attorneys claim that today he would not accept a plea of guilty of murder in the second degree, which would mean imprisonment for life.

Harmon is eighteen years old and a son of police lieutenant James H. Harmon of Somerville. Miss Hartley was seventeen and a pupil at Lynn.

It is expected that the men charged with the murder of Miss Hartley in Arlington on March 22, 1908, will be put on trial about the same time as the younger brother of Harmon.

HE BROUGHT HER UP LIKE A RUFFIAN!—"Ruffian" is the word, of course! Read it in the Sunday American.

HERO OF NINE SAVES CHILDREN

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 11.—Fire discovered in the summer home of Robert A. Welsh at White Bear Lake and three children of a family of thirteen were burned to death. William Welsh, aged nine years, was terribly burned in his heroic efforts to save his little brothers and sisters, six of whom were sleeping in the second story of the cottage. He might have escaped without injury, but he refused to leave the younger children and remained to assist the younger children. He was finally compelled to jump from a second story window.

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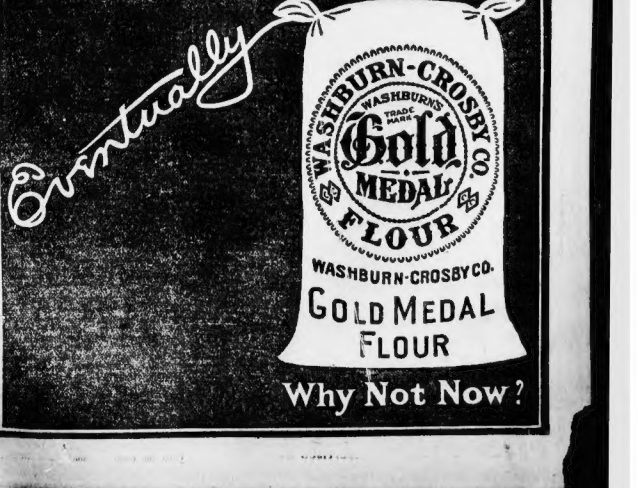
SEVENTH DAY WONDER OF NEW ENGLAND



CHAPEL IS DESTROYED BY INCENDIARY.

The chapel of the First Baptist Church in Revere was destroyed by an incendiary fire before dawn to-day. The church is located on Beach street, in the centre, but the chapel was in North Revere, and in a residential section. Rev. Nelson S. Burbank is pastor of both. The loss is estimated at about $2,000 and half of it will fall on the town which had just spent a large sum equipping it as a temporary public school.

A month ago an incendiary destroyed the North Revere schoolhouse and about 8 a. m. fire was started in the porch of the chapel. The structure was ablaze before an alarm sounded and the chapel practically destroyed.

The town at a meeting on Thursday last appropriated $10,500 to build in North Revere a schoolhouse to take the place of the one burned. It will be named after the late Henry A. Waitt of Waitt & Bond, Inc., while having given the land for a school building.

TWO DAYS MORE FOR WONDERLAND

Two more days, to-day and to-morrow, for Wonderland. When the big horn blows at 11 o'clock Sunday night the park's fourth season will have expired. The Prophet and Princess, Golden Graces, Girl Minstrels, vaudeville and motion picture shows will have their performances to-day and Sunday, after which the Prophet and Princess production will take up a circuit already booked and the Golden Graces will be a feature number in New York vaudeville for a period. To-day and to-morrow are the final days at Wonderland.

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GOOD NEWS FOR THE DEAF

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GIRL TELLS HOW SHE GAVE HER OWN BLOOD TO SAVE SISTER'S LIFE

Diagram shows method of connecting arteries in performing delicate operation.

BROCKTON, Sept. 11.—How she cheerfully gave up her own blood because she knew it might save the life of her sister, Mrs. F. Forest Marston, Miss Etta Edlund, a pretty girl of twenty, to-day modestly told her friends, who are praising her for her heroism.

Knowing that she would suffer pain because no anaesthetic can be given in the transfusion of blood, Miss Edlund, who lives at No. 3 Grove road, said she didn't even think of the pain because she loved her sister so much that she would have been willing to have died for her.

"I did only what any loving sister would do," she said. "I was told that it was my sister's one chance for life and so I thought of nothing else but what I could do to save her."

For weeks Mrs. Marston had been hovering between life and death. Wednesday night Miss Edlund went to the Brockton Hospital. She was taken to the operating room and placed beside her sister, their cot beds being in opposite directions.

Her left wrist and that of her sister were bared. A Boston doctor performing the operation, connected an artery in the arm of each. For nearly an hour, at intervals, Miss Edlund lay motionless beside her sister, her blood flowing through a silver tube into her sister's body. Finally Miss Edlund was carried from the room to a bed and closely watched for the night. Mrs. Marston, whose life had been slowly ebbing away, rallied, and for the first time in several weeks passed a comfortable night.

To a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter Miss Edlund told the following story of her sacrifice:

"I went into the operating room about 9 p. m. There I saw my sister lying on the operating table. Beside her lay another table, and I was told to lie beside her.

"The doctor made an incision in my left wrist and another in that of my sister. I was told to lay perfectly quiet. I scarcely breathed. I could hear nothing but the clicking of the clock and the swishing from the physicians as they pressed from my side to that of my sister. A slight movement of my sister's wrist was the only indication I had that she was still alive. At last I was told that I could get up.

"The doctor dressed the arm, which needed four stitches to close the cut. Except for a little pain now and then, I felt no ill effects from the operation. I certainly do not feel weak, but have been ordered to rest for a few days before returning to work."

Miss Edlund lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf Edlund. Mrs. Marston lives with her husband in Benton street.

MISS SEARS IN TENNIS FINALS

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 11.—The finals in the invitation ladies' singles and mixed doubles tennis tournament are played in the Casino courts to-day. In the singles Miss Lois Moyer of Philadelphia meets Miss Louise Hammond of New York, while in the mixed doubles Miss Marion Peano and C. H. Sands meet Miss Elesnora Sears and Willing Spencer.

The hardest match in the semi-finals was that in the singles in which Miss Moyer defeated Mrs. Barnar-Wallach two out of three strongly contested sets. All of the remainder of the matches were decided in straight sets.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

K. OF C. CHOIR TO AID AT HIGH MASS

The Catholic people of Salem, N. H., will be given a musical treat to-morrow when members of the glee club connected with Danker Hill council, Knights of Columbus chant the responses at Sendtler's high mass at Canobie Lake. This is the first time that the services of the Catholic church have been held at Salem, being celebrated at the open-air theatre in the park, where Father Fr. Herbert A. Hanson of Westville, N. H., established a Summer mission. The members of the glee club, accompanied by a number of members of the Bunker Hill council, left in special cars to-day for Canobie Lake from Sullivan square.

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DIPLOMATS HELD UP IN THIEF HUNT

Rich summer residents of the North Shore are alarmed to-day as the result of a series of bold thefts, which culminated in the looting of the home of J. Arthur Brooks and Amory Eliot at Manchester. Over $1,000 in jewelry was taken from both places.

The Manchester police, who are at work on the case, to-day declare that the ring leader of the gang is a woman. It is believed that she planned every break and perfected the arrangements that made escape in each case very easy. To the police she is known as the woman in blue.

The only logical conclusion that can be drawn is that the breaks were made by someone who knew conditions at both houses and had seen the interior of each residence. It is quite known, however, whether the breaks were the work of servants, or some woman who had the entree into North Shore society and who was asked and shelted for a night.

The Eliot and Brooks breaks were among the most daring that the thieves have made on the North Shore. In both cases they worked during the dinner hour.

While searching for the thieves who committed the Eliot and Brooks burglaries, the Manchester police held up Secretary J. de Vlugt Keith and Commissioner H. de Lima Silva of the Brazilian delegation.

Both officials were walking home from the Essex Country club to their cottage on Pine street, Manchester, when they were stopped by Chief of Police William H. O'Sullivan and officer Sheehan.

The Eliot break was discovered by Mr. Eliot. He was on his way to the third floor of his cottage and while on the second floor stopped to turn on the lights. As he did so he heard a noise in one of the rooms and saw the shadow of a man who was just climbing through a window.

The robber scrambled to the piazza and from there dropped to the ground and made his escape. On investigation it was found that about $1,200 worth of diamonds, pins and other articles of jewelry were missing.

Some of the beautiful and costly presents that have been received by Miss Mary Eliot in anticipation of her coming marriage were disturbed by the robber because of Mr. Eliot's timely appearance.

The Brooks cottage was entered while the occupants were at dinner. The robber or robbers broke into the second story of the cottage and carried away jewelry valued at $1,000.

Police Issue Warning.

The police were notified and the woods in the vicinity of Old Neck were searched without success. Many articles of jewelry and valuable articles have been stolen in these second story robberies during the past weeks from the cottages in this vicinity, and the police are baffled in their attempts to locate the perpetrators.

Chief of Police Sullivan warned all the Summer residents to keep a guard on the second floor of their cottage during the dinner hour.

The cottage of Walter J. Mitchell at Manchester Cove was broken into on Wednesday and jewelry, diamonds and money belonging to Mrs. Mitchell, of Fifth avenue, New York, who was then living in the cottage, were taken. In much the same manner the cottage of Lucius Tuttle was entered Thursday. The men are believed by the police to be familiar with the cottages they enter.

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AT THE NORTH POLE—The Sunday American will tell in detail just what it took, see, do and feel if you lived there.

GAY HUNT CLUB BALL AT LENOX

LENOX, Sept. 11.—Master of hounds of the country clubs and many during cross country riders, wearing gay colored club suits, and the hunt horns and bells of Lenox, the ring of the clock and the swishing from the Brook made room, in the country residence of Spencer P. Shotter of Savannah, Ga., at Lenox at the sixth annual ball of the Berkshire Hunt Club, the biggest event of the Lenox autumn social season.

WHISTLING DANCE FOR CHURCH PARTY

A "Double Boston" and "whistling" dances will be features of the annual party of St. Patrick's Total Abstinence and Literary Society to be held in Intercolonial hall, Dudley street, Roxbury, Monday night, October 11.

The music for these new dances has been ordered by the committee in charge, of which Thomas F. Phelan, John J. Ratcliff, William J. Healy and Patrick J. Foley are members.

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. is sold the next day.

4 HURT IN AUTO CRASH AT BEVERLY

BEVERLY, Sept. 11. Four men were thrown out of an automobile at Prospect place, when their machine collided with a tree, as a result of skidding over the wet pavement.

Two of the occupants of the car, Patrick Walsh, 30, of No. 5 Benson C. Bagnell, both of Wenham, landed on their heads and were unconscious when picked up by a passing automobile.

BEDS OF FAMOUS MEN AT AUCTION

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—The sale at auction of beds occupied for a night or more by Daniel Webster, Abraham Lincoln, General Grant and Stephen A. Douglas will be a feature marking the passing away of the old Sherman House. All the furniture is to be auctioned off beginning Monday.

SULLIVAN INDORSED AGAIN

Lawrence H. Sullivan of Charlestown, candidate for the Democratic nomination for the governor's council in the third district invaded Ward 3, the stronghold of Hon. Frederick J. O'Linch, Alderman Wilfred F. Murray, and got the unanimous indorsement of the Democratic committee in that ward.

DANGERS TO SCHOOL CHILDREN

Three Times as many Die in Cities as in the Country. A Word to Mothers.

The strain upon young children during school hours is severe, and parents should have a care that too little ones are strong enough to withstand this strain. Every child should be well nourished and the organs made to work naturally, otherwise permanently injured health will result.

If the child is sickly, run down, as you call it, nine times out of ten it is because of carelessness in protection from the weather. If the child has a cold, be careful of the medicine you use. Above all, be sure that it is pure, that it is not a mere compound of stimulants or dangerous drugs, such as morphine, alcohol, etc., contained in patent medicines.

For a family medicine, a cure for the child's cold, a food for the little body, something that will give tone and stamina to the system, Father John's Medicine is unequalled. Its merits can be stated in such unqualified terms because it has been tried and tested for half a century, and also it was recommended by the late Rev. Fr. John O'Brien of Lowell, Mass., for whom it was prescribed by an eminent specialist.

No better proof of its value for children is necessary than the fact that it has been used in St. Peter's orphan asylum, Lowell, Mass., for years, and is to-day. It would be impossible to find a healthier lot of children than the little ones are well and kindly cared for at this institution.

NOW TO SELL NOISE—The Sunday American will contain an interesting article on the various "phonoes of sleebie" soon to rise in America.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

Din of Airships Music of Future.

BRESCIA, Italy. — When Signor Puccini, the composer, heard the deafening noise of Glenn Curtiss's aeroplane motor, he said: "This is the music of the future."

D'Annunzio, the author, also visited the sheds at the course and told Calderara that he would fly with him. It is decidedly problematical, however, whether he can do so, for one of Calderara's aeroplanes is smashed and the others not yet ready. Later D'Annunzio also visited the shed where Curtiss stores his aeroplane. The Italian author thought it not only the best machine but "the most artistic, poetic and birdlike." Curtiss explained the different parts of the apparatus while D'Annunzio took notes for his forthcoming novel on aviation, the hero of which is to be an aviator.

Fallieres Honors Whites.

PARIS—President Fallieres and Mme. Fallieres paid Mr. Henry White, the American ambassador, and Mrs. White, an exceptional honor by visiting them at Chateau Meridon. The president motored over from Rambouillet. As far as is known, this is the first occasion during the third republic when the president has visited a foreign ambassador at his country house.

Lord in Auto Crash.

LONDON—Lord Lonsdale escaped serious injury in an auto accident near Kirkby Stephen. He was driving down a steep hill when the steering gear failed to work, and the car crashed into a wall. Thirty yards of which the car was wrecked. Two mechanicians were seriously injured.

Spanish Editor Jailed.

MADRID—Senor Romeo, director of the Correspondencia de Espana and correspondent for several foreign newspapers, has been jailed as a result of an article in which the policy of the government and its conduct of the Melilla campaign were savagely criticised.

Wu Tingfang in Jamaica.

KINGSTON, Jamaica—Wu Tingfang, Chinese minister to America and Peru has arrived here, en route to New York from Peru, where he has been investigating Chinese conditions. A popular ovation and a banquet were given him by the Chinese colony here.

Sub-Marine Engineer Cleared.

ST. PETERSBURG—An admiralty investigating committee decided that the explosion on the Like submarine Dragon on the Neva River was unavoidable. J. K. Meade of Baltimore, the engineer, is cleared.

Ox Wagon for Roosevelt.

NAIROBI, British East Africa—Major Edmund Heller, one of the naturalists of the Roosevelt expedition, have arrived at Fort Hall, travelling by ox wagon. They are now engaged in collecting specimens.

Spanish Floods Cause Ruin.

MADRID—Disastrous floods have occurred in many parts of Spain. At Bilbao the Nervion river overflowed in a terrific downpour of rain, and scores of houses were flooded. The losses total $2,000,000.

Flies 74 Miles an Hour.

PARIS—Paulhan, the aviator, made a brief cross-country flight at Tournai. He flew at the rate of 74 miles an hour. He covered 9.9 miles in eight minutes, and established a new world's record.

New York Organist Decorated.

PARIS—William C. Carl, the New York organist, received the decoration insignia of Officer de l'Instruction Publique, a gold wreath set with brilliants.

Cholera in France.

LORIENT, France—The Russian threemasted sailing ship Nadejda has been isolated here with a suspected case of cholera on board.

Yellow Jack in Peru.

LIMA, Peru—Yellow fever of the virulent type has made its appearance at Mopolaan, capital of Loreto province.

PROF. SHAAD RESIGNS FROM TECH FACULTY

The resignation of Professor George C. Shaad of the electrical engineering depart ment at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology has been announced. He will become head of the department of electrical engineering at the University of Kansas this Fall. Professor Shaad is a graduate of Pennsylvania State College and has been at Technology since 1906.

KILLS SELF WHILE VISITING WIFE

Going to the home of his wife, from whom he was separated, at No. 205 Hampshire street, Cambridge, John Mulligan, aged 65, of Silver street, South Boston, committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver, according to police. Domestic difficulties were the cause of Mulligan's action.

The SUNDAY AMERICAN is the Seventh Day Wonder of New England.

EMMA SAVOIE, CONVENT PUPIL, WHO IS MISSING

CENTRAL FALLS, R. I., Sept. 11.—Miss Emma Savoie, a fifteen-year-old girl who left here Monday evening for Longueuil, Quebec, where she was to have entered a convent to complete her education, has failed to report at that institution. Her parents and the local police are of the opinion that the girl was enticed away by a young man who met her on the train and stated that he was en route to attend the Sherbrooke fair in Canada.

The girl is an only daughter. The mother is prostrated with grief and believes that the girl is being forcibly detained.

"I know that Emma would not stay away of her own will," she said.

After exhausting every private source to secure information, Joseph Savoie, the father of the missing girl, requested Chief McCarthy to aid in the search.

The chief immediately wired to the Sherbrooke police to try to locate the couple, as he holds strongly to the theory that the traveling companion enticed the girl to accompany him to the fair.

The father of the girl lives at No. 3 Sales street, this city. Monday evening, with his wife, he accompanied the daughter to the Pawtucket depot. At the station a young man whom the father knew greeted the parents and informed them that he he was going to Canada.

Mrs. Savoie accompanied her daughter as far as Worcester and returned home happy in the belief that her daughter would have a companion as far as Nashua as at that point the young man said he would have to change and go to Canada by the way of the White Mountain division of the Boston & Maine.

Relatives of Miss Savoie anxiously waited at the depot in Montreal to escort the girl to the convent. When she did not arrive they made inquiries at the convent and found that she had not reported there. The Montreal police were called upon to locate her, but they failed.

TAFT SALUTES MARCHING VETS OF DAYS OF '61

BEVERLY, Sept. 11.—President Taft this afternoon reviewed the parade of the Essex County G. A. R. from a reviewing stand in front of City Hall. Beside him stood Governor Draper, Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh and Congressmen Butler Ames, Roberts and Gardner.

There were 1,600 veterans in the parade, Captain Alvin A. Hanscom was chief marshal. He is the man who stood on the President's lawn and made a personal appeal to the President to review the old soldiers.

The President was given a great reception by the veterans. The city was a mass of flags and bunting in honor of the President's first visit to the city proper. Last night's rain made the decorations a bit bedraggled in appearance, but the weather failed to dampen the enthusiasm of Mr. Taft's fellow-Americans. He was cheered many times during the parade, and waved his hand and bowed in response.

President Taft was so busy during the morning that for the first week day since he came to Beverly he missed his game of golf. He was at his desk in his home all forenoon attending to details incident to his Western trip.

Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh leaves to-night, and it is expected that he will give out to the public within the next forty-eight hours the names of the men who will constitute the new commission of tariff experts. He has gone over with the President carefully a list of men picked by Mr. Taft himself, and from this list the five or six men who are to decide questions arising under the administration of the new tariff law will be picked.

ONLY TWO MORE DAYS OF REST FOR PRESIDENT

BEVERLY, Sept. 11.—After a conference with the President, Director of the Census Durand announced that the supervisor of the census for the whole State of Connecticut will be William B. Bailey, professor of statistics at Yale.

Professor Bailey's commission was signed by the President this afternoon, and his selection is but one more indication of the determination of Mr. Taft and Mr. Durand to select as supervisors only those men who are eminently qualified to do the work. The professor is about forty years old and is a recognized authority on statistical work. He has been employed all Summer by the bureau of the census in mapping out plans for taking the census.

This was the final conference between Mr. Durand and the President regarding the supervisorships. Nearly six of them have been decided on, and those not made public to-day will be announced later by Director Durand.

To-day the President reviews the parade of the grand land and naval militia of Essex on the main street of Beverly. This will leave the President free

HARRIMAN, DYING, GOT AID OF MORGAN AFTER TWO-HOUR CONFERENCE

ARDEN, N. Y., Sept. 11.—One of the last men to talk with E. H. Harriman before the relapse of last Sunday that ended in his death was J. P. Morgan. The great financier came to Arden house three day of last week when the encouraging improvement noted in Mr. Harriman's condition was at its height and in spite of his bodily weakness the master of the Union Pacific was as well fitted to discuss business as at any time in his life.

For nearly two hours the two leaders of American finance sat on the porch in the sun. It is believed that at this conference plans were laid to support the financial market in the event of the report of death or in case his health forced him to abandon all business activity.

When this conference occurred Mr. Harriman was thought by the physicians to be kept this information from his family and steadily encouraged their belief that he would get well, for they knew that he himself knew that he was doomed.

No one save members of the Mr. Harriman what would probably happen when he died. For the sake of thousands of railroad stockholders, as well as for his own interests, he knew that unless the strongest money power in the country "got under" the market the effect of his death would be disastrous. This is why he called in Mr. Morgan.

Fifty detectives will come here from New York tomorrow to guard against disturbances on the part of any of the thousand or more visitors who are expected to witness the simple funeral rites over the body of E. H. Harriman.

All churches throughout the valley will toll to-morrow morning.

Family Service at 10.

There will be family services at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Arden residence. Communion will be celebrated at St. John's church at 11 o'clock, followed by a memorial service at which the Rev. Dr. Mottlebees will make a funeral address.

The funeral service will be held in St. John's church at 3 p. m. The choir of grass and the rector, the Rev. Mr. Grant, will officiate. The services will be strictly private and only the closest friends of the family will attend.

Had Harriman's will, it was learned today, will probably be filed at the county seat of Orange county early next week. It is said that it sets aside a large portion of the estate here for a public park.

Pact with Morgan.

The cause of Mr. Harriman's death is given in the death certificate signed by Dr. W. A. Lyle as "heart failure superinduced by cerebral complications."

The certificate is in the hands of Undertaker D. Smith, who will file it with Town Clerk S. R. Dembleton, either today or to-morrow morning.

MISS DAVENPORT, TO MARRY SON OF SENATOR ALDRICH

STEVEDORES STRIKE; FIGHT DELAY IN PAY

Because the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad did not put off the 2500 stevedores employed by unloading the freighters and Colony at Fall River Wharf at the regular payline to-day, the entire force went out on a strike and refuse to return until they are paid. Shortly before 10 o'clock the word was passed along the line that the pay was to be held back until 4 o'clock.

Hugh Doherty, the leader in the movement, says that all the men are in hard lines and depend on their salary to carry them from week to week and will make it impossible for many cases for their large families to get their Sunday dinners.

A force of 1000 Polish men were put at work unloading Tacoma Straits, a steamer from Turkey, and that he could not do anything to prevent the strike, as the railroad company has always been in the custom of paying a day later when a holiday occurred, as the first was Labor Day and this caused a delay in the payroll.

3,000 BORDEN MILL WORKERS TO QUIT BIG PLANT MONDAY

FALL RIVER, Sept. 11.—A strike that should affect the 3000 operatives of the Iron Works Mills, controlled by W. T. D. Borden, is threatened on next Monday by the action of the weavers of those mills in undergoing a reduction in wages. Monday unless their request for a 10 per cent. increase in wages was granted.

The feeling here is mixed among the employees of the Iron Works Mills regarding the wage question.

The Iron Works Mills are not in the Fall River Manufacturers' Association, where the wage question is controlled by the sliding scale system inaugurated a few years ago on the recommendation of Governor William L. Douglas settle a great strike, but Mr. Borden has followed the spirit of the Manufacturers' Association in paying his employes.

TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS

LAKE COPPER GOES TO 36

STATE STREET, Sept. 11.—Now. The features of the local market this forenoon were the strength of the so-called Amster stocks, with Hayden the principal mover of them. Arizona Commercial stiffened to 43% and Boston & Corbin touched 21.

Copper shares in general opened firm, but lost their early buoyancy. Lake Copper was strong, selling up to 36 on favorable advices from the mine relative to the ore body, but settled fractionally. North Butte became soft in the closing hour and sold off 1¼ to 56¾. Boston Copper was a point and over to 24½, and U. S. Smelting went back to 54½.

Union Pacific lopped yesterday's price by 2 points, 210½, or within ⅛ of the high in New York. Then profit taking caused it to fall back to under 208. Steel Common also fell a point or more to 70, but the preferred opened at 81⅝, but yielded over two points.

Curb trading was one of specialties. Davis Daly and First National were active and firm. Rhode Island Coal showed good support.

BOSTON STOCKS.

RAILROADS.

	Bid	Ask	Yes Last
Boston & Albany	252	253	253
Boston Elevated	129	129½	129
Boston & Lowell	128	129	128
Boston & Maine	128	128½	128
Boston & N. Y. A. H.	180	182	180
Old Colony	192½	193	192½
Rutland	10	12	10
West End, 1st	104	104½	104

BONDS.

C., B. & Q., 4s, JB	96¼	96¾	96¼
Mass. Gas, 4s, 1929	96¼	96¾	96¼
Mass. Gas, 1946	104½	104¾	104½

MINING STOCKS.

Allouez	45	45½	
Arizona Commercial	43	43½	
Bonta Cadillac	23	24	24½
Boston & Corbin	20½	21	
Calumet & Hecla	675	675	675
Centennial	27	27½	27
Copper Range	81½	82	
Daly-West	20	20½	
Franklin	10	10½	
Granby	90	90½	
Isle Royale	28	28½	
Keweenaw	2	2½	
Michigan	10	10½	
Mohawk	60	60½	
Nevada	19	19½	
North Butte	56	56½	
North Lake	2	2½	
Old Dominion	36	36½	
Osceola	58	58½	
Parrot	16	16½	
Quincy	78	78½	
Shannon	8	8½	
Superior & Boston	3	3½	
Superior & Pittsburg	15	15½	
Tamarack	60	60½	
Trinity	16	16½	
U. S. Mining Co.	50	50½	
U. S. Mining Co., pref.	90	90½	
Utah Copper	50	50½	
Utah Consolidated	16	16½	
Winona	4	4½	
Wolverine	125	125½	

LAND COMPANIES

Land Boston	10	10	10

TELEPHONES

American	140½	140¾	140½

ELECTRIC COMPANIES

Mass. Electric	16	16	

MISCELLANEOUS

Mass. Gas	46	46½	
Mass. Gas, pf.	92	92	
Mergenthaler Linotype	152	153	
National Carbon, pf.	90	90½	
United Fruit	140	141	
United Shoe Mach.	31	31½	
United Shoe Mach. pf.	51	51½	

UNLISTED SECURITIES

Ambergate	85	78	79
American Woolen pf.	105½	106	79
Boston Con.	14	14½	
Boston Con.	14½	14¾	
Bonanza	1½	1¾	
Dom. Iron & Steel	11½	11¾	
Ely	1	1½	
Gold Hill	1½	1¾	
Kerr Lake	7	7½	
Lake Copper	35½	36	
Miami Copper	9	9½	
Nipissing Mines	8½	8¾	
North Lake	2	2½	
Rhode Island Coal	70	71	
Rhode Island Coal, pf.	90	92	
Superior & Pittsburg	15½	15¾	
U. S. Smelting	54½	55	
U. S. Smelting, pf.	70	70½	
Utah Apex	2½	2¾	

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

Range of Prices from 10 a. m. to 12 m.

Stocks.	High.	Low.	Last.
Ariz. Com.	43½	43	43½
Ariz. Mich.	1-16	1-16	1-16
Bay State Gas	4¾	4½	4¾
Bingham Mines	14	13½	14
Boston & Corbin	21	20½	21
Butte Coalition	24½	24	24½
Butte Duly	5	4¾	5
Calumet & Hecla	675	675	675
Centennial	27	27	27
Cumberland Ely	7	6¾	7
Davis Daly	5 15-16	5¾	5 15-16
Ely Consolidated	1	1	1
Nevada Douglas	...	...	...
Nevada Utah	1¾	1¾	1¾
Onto Copper	1¾	1¾	1¾
Rockdale Mg.	1¾	1¾	1¾
Rex Cons.	19½	18	19½
U. S. Coal & Oil	19½	19½	19½
U. S. Oil pref. at 90	90½	90½	90½
Rhode Island	70½	70½	70½
Rhode Island, pf.	92	92	92
Union	15½	15¾	15¾
Utah Apex	2½	2¾	2¾

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want adv. is often the road to fortune.

BANK PRESIDENT AND BUSY AT 91

BEDHAM, Sept. 11.—Ninety-one years old is Augustus H. Endicott, president of the Bedham National Bank, ex-High Sheriff of Norfolk County and an active office "regular" that it would be hard to enumerate them. Mr. Endicott passed his birthday quietly, visiting the bank as is his custom, and in the evening held an informal reception at his residence on Guild road.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

SUBURBS IN LEAD IN SALE OF REALTY

Suburban properties lead all others in the report of sales in the real estate market to-day.

In the South End the four-story and basement brick house and 710 square feet of land, taxed on a valuation of $6,500, at 50 Rose street, between Anderson and Grove street, West End. The land is taxed for $2,700.

Henry H. Gregg, trustee, has sold to the city of Revere, for a consideration of $1,000, a parcel of land on the northerly side of Revere street, containing 1,000 square feet. The land is taxed for $1,000.

Joseph Lopes has sold to Simon Burman the four-story and basement brick house and 710 square feet of land, taxed on a valuation of $6,500, at 50 Rose street, between Anderson and Grove street, West End. The land is taxed for $2,700.

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In the same suburb Elias Hasenfus has sold to Edith P. Bacon, for a consideration of $2,200, a parcel of land on the northerly side of Revere street, containing 1,000 square feet. The land is taxed for $1,000.

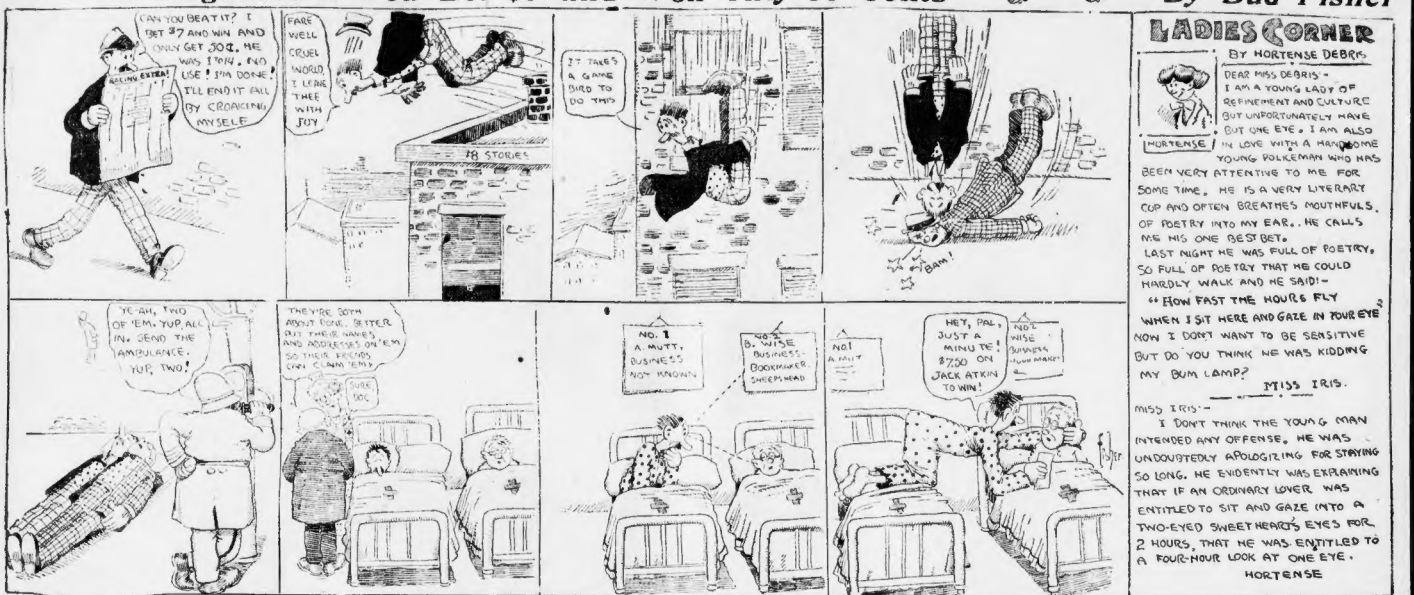
In the Roxbury district Mary A. Bonner has sold to Mary A. Bonner, trustee, for a consideration of $1, a parcel of land on the northerly side of Bonner

RED SOX AND ATHLETICS IN TWO WARM BOUTS

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

DOVES WIND UP THEIR SERIES WITH PHILLIES TO-DAY

You'd Be Disgusted if You Bet $7 and Won Only 50 Cents — By Bud Fisher


CAN YOU BEAT IT? I BET $7 AND WIN AND ONLY GET 50¢. HE WAS TOTAL NO USE! I'M DONE! I'LL END IT ALL BY CROAKING MYSELF
EXTRA!
FARE WELL CRUEL WORLD I LEAVE THEE WITH JOY
78 STORIES
IT TAKES A GAME BIRD TO DO THIS
BAM!
YEAH, TWO OF 'EM. YUP, ALL IN. SEND THE AMBULANCE. YUP, TWO!
THEY'RE BOTH ABOUT DONE. BETTER PUT YOUR NAMES AND ADDRESSES ON 'EM SO THEIR FRIENDS CAN CLAIM 'EM
NO. 1 A MUTT. BUSINESS NOW KNOWN
NO. 2 B. WISE BUSINESS BOOKMAKER SHEEPSHEAD
NOT A MUTT
NOT WISE BUSINESS
HEY, PAL, JUST A MINUTE! $7500 ON JACK ATKIN TO WIN!

LADIES CORNER

BY HORTENSE DEBRIS

HORTENSE

DEAR MISS DEBRIS -
I AM A YOUNG LADY OF REFINEMENT AND CULTURE BUT UNFORTUNATELY HAVE BUT ONE EYE. I AM ALSO IN LOVE WITH A HANDSOME YOUNG POLICEMAN WHO HAS BEEN VERY ATTENTIVE TO ME FOR SOME TIME. HE IS A VERY LITERARY CUP AND OFTEN BREATHES MOUTHFULS OF POETRY INTO MY EAR. HE CALLS ME HIS ONE BEST BET.
LAST NIGHT HE WAS FULL OF POETRY. SO FULL OF POETRY THAT HE COULD HARDLY WALK AND HE SAID:-
"HOW FAST THE HOURS FLY
WHEN I SIT HERE AND GAZE IN YOUR EYE
NOW I DONT WANT TO BE SENSITIVE
BUT DO YOU THINK HE WAS KIDDING MY BUM LAMP?
MISS IRIS.

MISS IRIS:-
I DON'T THINK THE YOUNG MAN INTENDED ANY OFFENSE. HE WAS UNDOUBTEDLY APOLOGIZING FOR STAYING SO LONG. HE EVIDENTLY WAS EXPLAINING THAT IF AN ORDINARY LOVER WAS ENTITLED TO SIT AND GAZE INTO A TWO-EYED SWEETHEART'S EYES FOR 2 HOURS, THAT HE WAS ENTITLED TO A FOUR-HOUR LOOK AT ONE EYE.
HORTENSE

CHESBRO, WHOSE WILD PITCH GAVE BOSTON THE PENNANT, JOINS RED SOX

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—Happy Chesbro will be all to the mustangs Jack Chesbro is now a member of the Red Sox and next year to get in condition and pitch for them. The famous hurler, whose wild pitch in the closing day of the American League championship in 1904 gave Boston the pennant, was signed to-day by President Taylor of the Red Sox, and the veteran pitcher will report at the Hunt ington Avenue Grounds on Monday.

In making the deal with the New York Americans President Taylor and Manager Chance gave Chesbro his release outright. According to the terms of the transfer the Boston club throughout. It has little to lose and for Chesbro has only Mike Powers to pay for the big fellow. Will receive $1,000 if he can try him, and if he does not prove satisfactory he will be returned to the New York Club.

Happy Jack had a phenomenal season in 1904. He developed the spit ball and won 41 games. His record for straight games for the Yankees. His record that season was electric the best in the league, but that wild pitch which cost his team the championship, seemed to have stuck in his mind he has not been a fine pitcher since.

The Boston Club proposes to try him

It has little to lose and

JOHNSON SAYS HE WAS NOT IN BEST SHAPE

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—Accepting his victory of Al Kaufman as a matter of course and refusing to be unduly elated with his easy match, Jack went out for a long auto ride this morning over the roads of San Mateo County, starting after his return that it was the first time in three weeks that he had felt perfectly free.

"But don't think for a moment that I intend to let up at all in my training work," the colored giant told a party of friends at his training quarters. "There won't be any let up on my part for I intend to be in the finish of condition for the Ketchel match if there is any Ketchel after Langford gets through with him," the champion continued.

"Were you really extended at any time of the battle?" he was asked.

"I was covered up in the sixth and tenth rounds," Jack replied, "because I was not in the best of shape having, as everybody knows, taken the match on at short notice. Had I been as good as I was the day I boxed Tommy Burns in Australia I would have stopped Kaufman inside of six rounds. Burns is a better fighter than Kaufman."

JOHNNY KLING LIKELY TO BE BLACKLISTED

CINCINNATI, Sept. 11.—August Herrmann, chairman of the National Baseball Commission, said to-day that if John Kling, former catcher of the Chicago National League club, played with his Kansas city team of semi-professionals against the Logan Square team of Chicago, as reported, he would come under the rule forbidding from organized baseball for a year all players who are not under the reserve list or the National agreement and who play with or against a team harboring ineligible players. The Logan Square team is said to contain several such players.

Mr. Herrmann's attention was called to a report that Kling had left Kansas City to-day that Kling had played against the Logan Square team Herrmann said: "If it be true that Kling has played against ineligible players, and the report from Chicago indicates that he has done so, things look mighty bad for him. If he has laid himself liable to suspension and I can't see how it will be possible for him to evade the sentence."

LEARY TO COACH CRIMSON FOOTBALL

Lee H. Leary, who has been assistant physical director in the Boston High Schools, will be a member of the coaching staff that will aid Coach Percy D. Haughton in developing the Harvard football team this Fall. As yet the entire staff that will assist Haughton has not been made known.

It is figured that Leary will look after the end material at Harvard. He is a master of the rudiments of the game, and was a good rusher. Word has reached the Harvard football management believes he will prove himself a valuable acquisition to the squad of men who will help Coach Haughton.

Just who Dr. Thomas F. Harrington, Supervisor of Hygiene, will place in charge at Meehoke Arts High School, in Leary's place, will not be made known for a few days.

COLTS HAVE DISTEMPER.

John Young, the Allen Farm trainer now located at Readville, says that several of the youngsters in his string have been suffering from a slight attack of distemper which has caused them to cough and discharge from the nose, so as to interfere temporarily with their improvement in speed. No serious results are anticipated, however.

RECORD FOR THEIR AGE.

Ed Custer (3) (2:12½), and Bertha C. (3) (2:12¾), hold the record for brother and sister of their ages. They are by Baron Wilkes (2:11¾), from Marble (2:14) by Kingwood.

YACHTING EVENTS TO-DAY.

Royal Y. C.—Search championship.
Boston Y. C.—Class, Mull.
Dolphin Y. C.—Club.
Lakewood Y. C.—Cleveland, Foster cup. Interclub.
Corinthian Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Manhasset Bay Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Seawanhaka Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Columbia Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Larchmont Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Atlantic Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Eastern Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Knickerbocker Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Seawanhaka Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Columbia Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Larchmont Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Atlantic Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Eastern Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.
Knickerbocker Y. C.—Open, power. Dighton.

Standing of the Clubs in Six Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Pittsburg	92	59	.609	Philadelp'a	66	85	.504
Chicago	88	61	.582	St. Louis	47	99	.322
New York	86	63	.577	Brooklyn	45	102	.306
Cincinnati	65	82	.442	BOSTON	34	95	.268

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Philadelphia at Boston (two games).
Brooklyn at Washington (two games).
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
Chicago at St. Louis.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

FIRST GAME.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1	7	1
Chicago	5	9	0

Batteries—Beebe and Phelps; Reulbach and Kling.

SECOND GAME.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	1	6	1
Chicago	2	6	0

Batteries—Harmon and Ritter; Higginbotham and Archer.

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	2	6	1
Philadelphia	0	4	1

Batteries—Camnitz and Gibson; White and Dooin.

Philadelphia-Boston, postponed, rain.
Brooklyn-New York, postponed, rain.

AMERICAN ASS'N.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Milwaukee	84	69	.549	Indianapolis	71	77	.480
Minneapolis	81	65	.555	Columbus	69	76	.476
Louisville	77	68	.531	Toledo	66	80	.452
St. Paul	71	72	.497	Kansas City	63	81	.438

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

St. Paul 4, Milwaukee 3.
Minneapolis 2, Kansas City 2.
Indianapolis 6, Columbus 4.
Toledo-Louisville game called in fourth inning, rain.

CRITERION A. A. IS AFTER TOP HONORS

One of the hardest games of the season is expected when the fast Criterion A. A. cross bats with the champion Andrew A. A. of South Boston, to-day. The Andrews, with the championship belt off the Blute, having defeated the fastest teams, including the Roger Wolcotts, and will defend the title against all comers. In the first contest between the Andrews and Criterions the former won, the score being 4 to 1. Should the Criterions win this afternoon's game, the third contest will be held on the National League grounds for the championship. Killory or Baughman will pitch for the Criterions, while Fenuries and Lewis will work for the champs. The game will be called at 3 o'clock at Kemp street grounds, Dorchester.

CAMBRIDGE BOY TO BE COACH IN SOUTH

Joe Bean of Cambridge, former big league ball player who this season played on the Lawrence team of the New England League and did scout duty for the Red Sox, has been re-engaged as playing director at Marist College, Atlanta, Ga.

Joe will have entire charge of all the athletic teams and of the gymnasium work. The college does not support a football team, so the Cambridge man will devote all his attention to developing the track and baseball teams in the Fall for later competition.

GREATER BOSTON TEAMS TO PLAY OFF

At a meeting of Greater Boston Baseball league, held recently, it was voted to play off the triple tie now existing in the league for the local championship, Page and Brown. These three teams lead the league with ten games won and two lost. It was voted that the Page and Brown play the first game in the playoff on Saturday, Sept. 15, National League grounds, 3 p. m. The winner of this game will play Harvard on the following Saturday.

TROTTED GOOD MILE.

The Connecticut mare Nahma (2:07¼) went a good mile over the half-mile track at Goshen, N. Y., when she went in 2:09½ without the aid from a pacemaker, doing the mile on her courage.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Detroit	85	61	.582	Chicago	66	85	.437
Philadelphia	83	62	.572	New York	58	89	.453
BOSTON	76	65	.539	St. Louis	54	91	.410
Cleveland	68	68	.507	Washington	54	95	.294

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Boston at Philadelphia, (2 games).
New York at Washington (2 games).
Cleveland at Detroit.
Chicago at St. Louis.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

All games postponed—Rain.

BATTING AVERAGES OF BOSTON BALL PLAYERS

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	av.
Carrigan	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Gessler	280	51	117	24	1	0	.393
Speaker	165	30	66	23	4	0	.400
Stahl	387	54	111	16	5	0	.287
Gardner	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Hooper	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Wagner	234	37	100	15	7	0	.427
Collins	239	43	55	7	1	0	.230
Wolter	100	10	20	2	1	0	.200
Criger	162	19	36	5	2	1	.222
Niles	104	20	32	12	2	0	.308
Parent	104	15	25	5	1	0	.240
Lewis	14	0	3	0	0	0	.214
Duffy	12	2	3	0	0	0	.250
Donahue	176	28	50	12	4	0	.284
Young	7	0	2	0	0	0	.286
Bauer	4	0	1	0	0	0	.250
Arellanes	37	7	7	1	0	0	.189
Bedient	8	0	1	0	0	0	.125
Madden	13	0	2	0	1	0	.154
Wood	13	0	2	0	0	0	.154
Schlitzer	27	1	4	0	0	0	.148
Walsh	13	0	2	0	0	0	.154
Mathews	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Players.	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	av.
Beaumont	394	59	113	18	7	1	.274
Wilson	393	59	112	15	5	1	.285
Abbaticchio	184	20	43	9	2	1	.234
Dahlen	184	30	43	9	2	1	.234
Becker	470	62	112	8	3	0	.238
Dooin	350	41	82	14	3	0	.234
Keeney	406	57	101	8	3	0	.249
Bransfield	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Hyatt	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Leifield	116	19	22	3	1	0	.190
Miller	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Coffey	258	21	48	8	1	0	.186
Bergen	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Smith	101	12	15	2	1	0	.149
Bentley	34	3	5	0	0	0	.147
Barbeau	34	4	5	0	0	0	.147
Burns	34	4	5	0	0	0	.147
Miller	7	0	1	0	0	0	.143
Wicker	35	3	5	0	0	0	.143
Moore	16	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Rariden	5	0	0	0	0	0	.000

LATEST SONG FREE—"SONGS of Words and music with the Sunday American.

ONWS RACING PROSPECT.

The well known New Hampshire horseman Sam Kerr has reason to be proud of his two-year-old trotting colt by Bertini (2), a performance combined with finish and quality. Judging from the appearance of the colt Bingara is liable to end in Bertini a worthy rival in a sire.

MIDDLESEX SOUTH HORSE RACES

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM.

Sept. 22—2:05 Class, Trot or Pace. Purse $2,000.

Sept. 23—2:25 Class, Trot or Pace. Purse $200.

Entries 5 per cent. and 5 per cent. additional from winners.

Special Race. One-Half Mile Heats. Trot or Pace. Best 3 in 5. $50.

For horses owned in the district or by members of the New England Driving Club. No entrance fee. Horses having records on or after Sept. 15, will be eligible to start in these classes.

Entries will close Sept. 15 with SAM B. HASTINGS, Wayland, Mass.

N. E. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Worcester	91	47	.659	Haverhill	62	81	.397
Brockton	78	57	.578	Lowell	59	74	.407
Lynn	72	59	.571	Lawrence	43	78	.355
Fall River	70	52	.574	Lawrence	41	81	.336

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Brockton at Lawrence (2 games).
Lowell at Worcester (2 games).
Fall River at Lynn (2 games).
New Bedford at Haverhill (2 games).

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

All games postponed—Rain.

CONN. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Hartford	91	47	.659	Springfield	74	64	.536
Holyoke	82	56	.594	New Haven	58	80	.420
Meriden	77	58	.570	Bridgeport	54	85	.388
Waterbury	61	76	.445	Bridgeport	44	77	.364

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Bridgeport at Hartford.
New Britain at New Haven.
Waterbury at Springfield.
Holyoke at Northampton.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

All games postponed—Rain.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Rochester	75	55	.500	Buffalo	64	70	.477
Newark	73	58	.557	Montreal	59	74	.444
Providence	72	60	.545	Jersey City	57	75	.428
Toronto	69	64	.519	Baltimore	37	77	.420

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Providence at Baltimore (two games).
Montreal at Buffalo (two games).
Toronto at Rochester (two games).
Newark at Jersey City.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Montreal ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0—3 5 2
Buffalo ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 3 1
Batteries—Stanage and Stanagie; Malarkey and Williams.
At Rochester—Toronto, 1; Rochester, 2; ten innings.
At Providence-Baltimore rain.
Jersey City-Newark (rain).

KIRB WHITE GOES HOME.

Kirb White the southpaw pitcher of the Boston Nationals, who has been out of the game for over a week with rheumatism in his pitching arm, has been given leave of absence by President Dovey and left for his home at Hillsboro, Ohio, yesterday at 4:50 p. m. When the Doves play at Cincinnati next week he will run up to see them. Siner will go to his home in Shelburne, Ind., on Monday.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE RESULTS

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Atlanta	84	57	.596	New Orleans	69	71	.493
Nashville	82	58	.586	Little Rock	67	73	.479
Birmingham	77	63	.550	Memphis	58	82	.414
Montgomery	71	68	.511	Mobile	57	83	.407

Montgomery 1; second game, six innings; darkness.

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is a welcome, useful and beneficial friend, enabling the fagging and lagging energies to do that which they would otherwise be unable to accomplish.

ABE ATTELL RISKS TITLE WITH O'TOOLE

There is some class to that bout at the Armory A. A. next week with Champion Abe Attell as one of the warriors. He is to tackle the toughest nut in Philadelphia to crack for his size—Tommy O'Toole. Quaker fans would walk a long way to see this pair get together, as they saw them once in a whirlwind entertainment, which whetted their appetites for more. They figured that a longer route would be just what their favorite wanted against the slippery Abe, and the chance has come for Tommy and he won't overlook it.

O'Toole really beat Matty Baldwin here during last Winter's campaign, and he put Joey Bowker away in a couple of rounds. Those two feats are worth considering. He is always coming, while Attell is likely to be moving the other way, as he has been fighting a long time and must give way sooner or later.

The foxy Abe will be here to-morrow with his manager to finish up his training. He hasn't been seen by the local fans since he showed his skill against Jimmy Walsh.

Both boys are to weigh in at 122 pounds, so the match will be for the championship.

A NEW COLT RECORD.

Al Stanley placed the world's three-year-old trotting record over a half-mile track to Todd (2:14¾), from Moonrise, by Jay Hawker (3) (2:14¾).

JEFF'S FATHER THREATENS TO DISOWN HIM

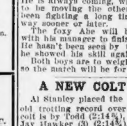
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 11.—"If my son should ever fight Jack Johnson I would be tempted to disown him," was the startling statement made yesterday by Rev. A. C. Jeffries, father of the undefeated heavyweight champion of the world before he left Los Angeles for the East. He continued,

"I do not believe, however, that this step on my part will ever be necessary, for, mark my words, Jim Jeffries will never fight Jack Johnson."

WILL PLAY FOR TITLE OF K. OF C. LEAGUE

The champions of the two divisions, A and B, of the Knights of Columbus Baseball League, the St. James Council of Boston and the Medford Council of Medford, will meet at the American League grounds this afternoon to decide the State championship. Mulloy will pitch for the St. James team and McDonald will be in the points for Medford. The game will start at 3 o'clock and Eugene McCarthy will officiate as umpire.

GREATEST NEWSPAPER STORY—Read "The Forlorn Hope" in the Sunday American.



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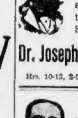

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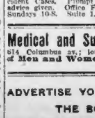

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MR. ABE ATTELL WILL BE IN OUR midst the early part of next week, being billed to hold a reception at the Armory A. A. Tuesday night. Tommy O'Toole of Philadelphia has been selected to assist at the affair across of a championship attack, as both boys weigh in at the afterweight weight. I'll be glad to see the two youngsters perform again, as boy should provide good entertainment. I will also be glad to see the bouts pulled off without the chance of such a thing as spring last week through the two judges and one referee system. The triple system plan looked good, but it will not work as satisfactorily as the old method, the Armory A. A. is one of the best and nearest clubs in the country, and its reputation for fair dealing will prevent the by work of last week's judges from doing any permanent harm.

I AM GLAD TO PRINT THE FOLLOWing as I was impressed with the showing West, who is a deaf mute, made against opponent who was much heavier. I think the match maker of the Armory could do well to give the boy a match again soon.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Will you please publish in your paper and let the people of Boston know that Harry West, who fought at the Armory, Tuesday night only 2 days to train, for a 10-round bout, has fight not boy who can show weight, but of five pounds and only a 4-ounce glove. West is a boy who has the class and is going to get up in front. I consider the match a good one, and I think West will make it interesting for the fans. Thanking you in advance, I am very respectfully, JULIAN ABRAMS.
195 Richmond st., Providence, R. I., manager Harry West and Young Dixon.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
I have noticed in your paper that the Norfolks of Dorchester are the original fourteen-footers, and that they have been having hard luck. Although the Norfolks of Medford were challenged all season by the Norfolks, but could not secure them. They have been investigating, gather this season. Finding the strongest team in the average. The Norfolks played a twenty-four inning game with the Rosemarks this week, netting over a dollar.
When it comes to baseball, the team can't be beaten, and I consider it the best and most renowned champion for today's racing. A large following.
Dorchester, September 10. OLD TIMER.

I HAVE A LETTER FROM A MAN WHO thinks he knows something and is trying to pass it along to me. He says that Vincent Powers, the jockey who has been set down by the judges of the recent race track, is the victim of a conspiracy. He is. He is the victim of a conspiracy to separate a lot of rags from their money and he is one of the conspirators. The boy got in bad and the judges or stewards or who ever did it, did well to set him down. He boy had no chance and did a rank bit. When he first commenced to keep and company he was riding at the Church Hill track. Judge Pete herrod that the boy was in danger of going wrong and gave him a fatherly talk. As the result Powers was taken suddenly ill and went home. He did not return during the recent meeting and Judge Pete prescribed a rest that lasted until the close of the following meeting at Latonia. He didn't take any official action, just advised the boy to get sick and think it all over when he was recovering. Powers evidently had and the judges or stewards or who did check again at Saratoga. I hope they will never be thus necessary a moment again. The game is hard enough without such as he.

FRANK MALONEY, A 105-POUND BOY, who lives at No. 17 Russell street, asks me to issue a challenge for him to box any boy about Boston at that weight. I am not issuing any challenges for anyone, but I will state that the boy Frank is after particularly is Mix Landy, and it would like to have a match arranged as one of the preliminaries at the Armory A. A. Young Maloney has never boxed professionally and says his greatest claim to fame is that he knocked Teddy Murphy and another boy out the same night at the B. A. A.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
One year ago A. Joe Burt Peary said he was the best man to knock out Pete Kane. Where is HENRY FRENCH.
Lynn.

You're quite a kidder, Henry, but I'm hep to your curves. I know who discovered the Pole, all right, all right, but I won't tell you because you are trying to get me in trouble with one of my old college chums. Peary or Cook.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Well, we've gone and done it. The Revere A. A. are through for the season. Saturday in a series of three games for the championship of Revere, we lost all three. The whole town is talking about the games and the largest crowd of the year was out. We have secured the services of "Big Mooney" to play first base, and he will be a big help to the club. One of the Kendall Nos. England League players is also going to join us. Now we are ready for any team around here, and if you will let us we would like to have you on hand to witness the slaughter and then we'll be a big endorsement for the club after the game. Now we are ready for any team around here, and if you ever get any down Revere way drop in at the clubhouse on the wood and it is yours. Yours truly,
JOSEPH F. LEONARD.
Manager Revere A. A.

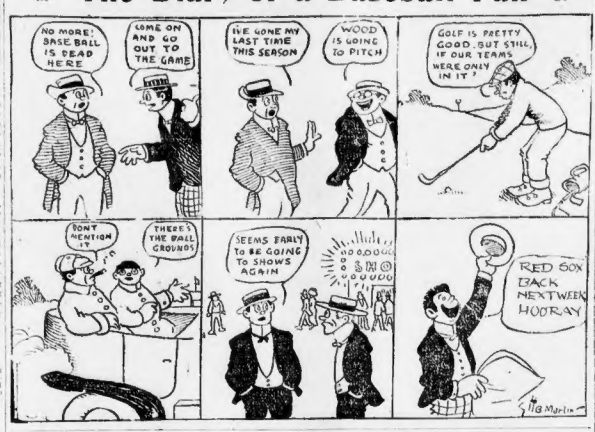
Straight Dope, Boston American:
I would like to have you publish what I am about to say, and if you do not publish it you needn't write a note publish it as soon as you like.
Will the Manager of the team that plays at Mystic Park, Lynn, kindly send name and address to Straight Dope Editor of the paper, as I have a game to play and would address of the catcher.
Lynn. GEO. S. RYAN.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
The Battles of Cambridge, who have not gathered out of twenty games played, would like to hear from any team around here that will be for the remainder of the season. We would like to play Saturday, Oct. 2, or any other playing Saturday of the year.
GEO. S. RYAN,
15 North Street, Cambridge.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
I have been reading your column for some time through not called down for my attendance at the baseball game in America's Harvard game and oblige.
Roxbury. M. W. M.
Nothing doing.

About 40,000 persons saw the Yale-Harvard game last year. I have no records of the record attendance.

The Diary of a Baseball Fan


NO MORE BASE BALL IS DEAD HERE
COME ON AND GO OUT TO THE GAME
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GOLF IS PRETTY GOOD, BUT STILL IF OUR TEAMS WERE ONLY IN IT
DON'T MENTION IT
THERE'S THE BALL GROUNDS
SEEMS FAIRLY TO BE GOING TO SHOWS AGAIN
RED SOX BACK NEXT WEEK HOORAY
Hy Martin

JIM DRISCOLL AND MORAN CAN'T AGREE ON MATCH

Jim Driscoll and owen Moran are still wrangling about their proposed fight in London. Jim declares that Moran ran out of the ring and refused to answer that noise of after such as Moran claims he received from here was sent over. Moran then wrote the following letter to the Sports man:

Sir—I have been quite surprised those last few days to see in your columns what has appeared with regard to the fight between Driscoll and myself, and I will ask you to please publish this letter so that the public can see both sides of the question.

"As you know, at our meeting last Monday week, when five of us and your representative met at your office, the only terms available offers which had been made were the one from Mr. Jacobs and the other from Mr. Shirley.

"Mr. Shirley then made his offer, and I think those are the words: 'Owen Moran, I have come to make an offer to you on behalf of Jem Welsh Stadium, and we will give you $1,200 and a percentage of the gate receipts of the match, viz., loss or draw, if you will fight at Mountain Ash.' I replied: 'You don't want any percentage of the gate, I want a fixed sum.' I don't want to have on my mind anything about the gate. I go to the ring. I want to go with one idea—to fight.

"Mr. Shirley then said: 'Well, failing Mr. Jacobs's depositing his £1,000 with the Sportsman to-morrow, I will forward a check for £1,200 for your share, win, lose or draw, the fight to take place at Aberdare Park, South Wales.' I said: 'Yes, that will be for me, and I will fight Driscoll when-ever you like.' And we came away with the idea that everything was settled.

"I came straight away the next night (Monday) here to my training quarters, and I have never left them since. The next thing that I see in the paper is an offer from Mr. Jacobs for the same conditions for a purse £2,000, £1,200 to the winner and £800 to the loser. Now, all I want to know is: Is it fair and straightforward after offering me £1,200 for my share, win, loss, or draw, to offer this?

"All I wish to say is this: Let Mr. Sabbe be as good as his word and state that he will fight Driscoll at 126 pounds wherever he likes, as I said I would. If this be done I will and every one of my friends will leave it to your representative, who is not a backer, to contradict any syllable of it. I will only make one condition, and that is that the fight shall be decided a little longer, so that I can get myself thoroughly fit. As I intend to be when I fight—I am, yours truly,
OWEN MORAN."

Bill McCarney, writing from Prince, says:
Benny Rafael will start East soon with Johnny Frayne and is thinking of bringing Jimmy Carroll with him. Carroll is the kid who beat Monte Attell here and also drew once. He will be a great card for Wagner, McGovern and those little fellows East. They want Nelson to meet Wagner on Thanksgiving eve, and if it falls through Benny will go East right away.

"Jack Grace wanted me to go to Australia with him next year. I'm for enough away from home right now and besides I'm not the best swimmer in the world."

Baseball News and Notes

Artie Hoffman of the Cubs, has fallen off considerably in his batting this year.

Second Baseman Egan of Cincinnati has made only two errors in his last 32 games.

Manager Clark Griffith, duties on tall pitchers. He is himself not a tall man, yet was a great pitcher in his day.

Ty Sensenig has been covering lots of ground for the Giants. He never looked better and his bats have been fine.

Manager Joe Jack's team but a right fielder who is not under contract to Connie Mack. Great excitement, tonight.

"Jake" Atz and Lee Tannehill are the main stays of the White Sox infield in fielding.

Among the pitchers who can stand lots of work Artelhers, of the Boston Red Sox, leads us.

First Baseman Konetchy is doing the star playing for the St. Louis Cubs, but Second Baseman is hitting the ball hard and scoring often.

The season's series between the Pirates and the Chicago nine stands 11 to 8 in favor of the Pirates. All the games the Cubs have won have been taken in Pittsburg.

Hack Spencer out on St. Paul is batting like a house on fire. In the last 10 games he is to his hit for about .700. He is catching practically every game.

Pitcher Koetzer of Lawrence, Infielder Redmond Winston, of Salem, Outfielder Dooner, of Oklahoma, and Outfielder Wheat, of Mobile, reported to the Brooklyn club a few days ago.

Charles Murphy has asked his catchers to wear knee protectors as well as shin guards regularly. He doesn't want the St. Louis Cubs to have to call Larry McLean out of the game.

Johnny Kling says he thinks the Cubs will win the pennant. Maybe he thinks Charlie Murphy will hand them the money, but he says a few nice things about the Windy City club.

Considering the team behind him, Bell, of Brooklyn, has been pitching as well as any one on in the league.

"Head Play" Evans, the minstrel, who offered the cup which was won by Hans Wagner last year for batting in the commercial league, is a league player, has put up a similar trophy this season.

Manager Griffith, of Cincinnati, states that he will confine his fall experimenting to outfielders, having quite enough with his infield and batting department.

Umpire Brick Ferguson, of the South Michigan league, was fined $25 for assaulting Manager Morrisey, of Lansing, the other day.

President Hermann, of Cincinnati, says he is perfectly satisfied with Griffith's work at the head of the Reds.

Pitcher Sam Leever predicts that Adams will be one of the best pitchers in the National League next year.

The Cubs are carrying eight pitchers: Reulbach, Brown, Kling, Overall, Pfeister, Hagerman, Ragon and Richie.

Brooklyn has drafted Pitcher Fletcher of Uniontown, in the Tri-State league, and Detroit has drafted Pitcher of Davenport, Ia.

There is a real lemon in baseball at last. Lee Lemon, of Washington, has been purchased by Indianapolis. He is a catcher.

The Athletics have 26 games to play at home and Catcher Davis figures on the team utilizing these 26 to win the pennant.

If Dolly Gray and Rob Groom develop as young pitchers are expected to do after a year's experience in fast company, the Nationals should have a pair of clever young hurlers next year.

The Highlanders may not win the American League pennant, but are having a heap of fun, judging by men have recently left the team Red Sox and the Athletics out of the running.

Eddie Grant is not playing as brilliant a game for the Phillies this year as he did last season.

Hal Chase Myers is slowly developing in his batting. He has made a good get here with the sacrifice and climb back among the .300 people.

As soon as Archer leaves the Cubs' regular catcher they begin to win all their games. As soon as Archer was hurt they lost their long string with a series with a score.

Reliable rumors say that Bill Bernhard, manager of the Nashville club of the Southern league, will be one of the managers of the Pittsburg next season in place of Sacks Seybold, President Barney Dreyfuss has his eye on the latter.

John T. Brush writes from Carlsbad that he is being benefited by the waters. He adds: "Baseball is fine, there are some baseball men with the entire world. Every phase of humanity, and I do not come earlier."

Pitcher Ed Reulbach believes that Dick Egan, the whirlwind second baseman of the twenty-game string of the Cubs, is the best second baseman in the league. He is batting for .300 and is covering more ground than ever before. Reulbach says he is playing in his last thirty-one games. Egan is a product of the Minneapolis club of the Tri-State league, and Manager Griffith has refused offers of $10,000 for his release and make him even think of letting go of Egan.

GOLF GOSSIP
NEWS OF THE LINKS

It is very often the case that players participating in an open tournament notice not only the course, and the score board, but the management of the meeting. It is seldom that we ever see more than a committee of one doing anything and this was the case at a recent tourney. The committee had been appointed and all promised to attend the tournament, and the all in early part to make it a success. Had it not been for the persistency and loyalty of the president of the club, there would have indeed been in a sorry plight as the Worcester Golf Club's tourney. Mr. Batchelder deserves great praise for the way he managed the tournament second. He now duly feel that the thanks of visitors and players and their appreciation for his work is honestly and wholly his.

Perhaps there is nothing in the club, but there seems as if there must be for the mild iron, which was presented to Mr. H. Wales of the Tedesco Golf Club, by Mr. Walter J. Travis netted him a one, on a 157-yard hole on his home course. The club was given to Mr. Tode as a prize for jumbled golf terms which appear in the American Golfer edited by Mr. Travis.

A great many tournaments are scheduled for to-day at the various clubs. At the Brae Burn Country Club there will be a qualifying round for the club championship, and tournaments will be in progress at the Commonwealth Country and Belleview Golf Clubs. Newcastle will hold its annual golf tournament while there will be a golf ball sweepstakes at Hatherly. At the Worcester Golf Club a handicap va. a Bogey competition and the Salem Golf Club will have a match against three-fourths of their handicap.

During the Spring tournament at Garden City, Robert C. Watson enjoyed a unique experience. In every one of his three matches he carried his match to the seventeenth hole, winning the first two and afterwards tied up Walter J. Travis. At losing the tie at this extra hole spoiled the the playing of seventeen holes that preserved perfect uniformity, but that preserved and popular one became the twentieth in this case.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN

KANALY GETS DESERVING HONOR

Technology's Track Coach Frank M. Kanaly the prominent distance runner and erstwhile adversary of Al Shrub has been appointed to a position as director of athletics by the Tech faculty. Frank has been engaged for the past two years by the Tech A. A. to coach the track and cross country teams, and his new position as a member of the faculty is due in part to his turning out of winning teams.

Kanaly will have entire charge of the physical training of the students, but will continue to coach the teams, urging the latter to substitute track work for the regular gym classes which are required in the curriculum.

MARTO SHADES YOUNG OTTO

NEW YORK, Sept. 11—"Young" Otto and Johnny Marto, lightweights of this city, fought ten rounds before the Pastmont Athletic Club with Marto having a shade the better of it. Otto had a fairly good left, but Marto's right was more effective. But seven bouts were fought on the card, while Marto forced the fight until the final round.

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LATEST SONG FREE—"ANNY" words and music with the Sunday American.

FLAG WINNERS TO PLAY SERIES

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 11.—There is a strong probability that if Milwaukee wins the American Association pennant a series of championship games will be played between the winners of the Eastern league, which will doubtless be Rochester. Seven or nine games will be played, the first three at Milwaukee and the balance in the East. The Milwaukee players have taken the matter up with Owner Havenor and he has offered them 50 per cent of the gate.

Should the series be arranged a big field day would be arranged at the same time. Manager McCloskey is in favor of the proposition. Negotiations will be opened at once with Rochester.

WAGNER PASSES 200 HIT MARK

What would the Pittsburg team be without Wagner? He passed the 200 hit mark yesterday, the only batter in the National league to have that total. He also contributed a triple and two doubles in the game against the Reds, and that's not an extraordinary day's work for him, either.

YOUNG ERNE IS EASY WINNER

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—Sizing up his opponent in the early rounds and sparring slowly at the finish, Young Erne of Gray's Ferry won from Willie Lucas in the six-round bout at the Nonpareil A. C.

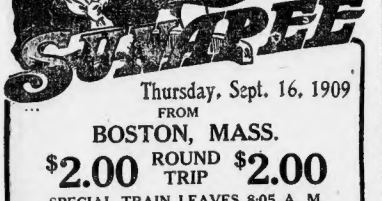
Erne was contented to let Lucas do most of the leading in the first two rounds and then Fairmount kid started in though he intended to put Yi Yi out of commission.

In the meantime Erne was landing effectively, but did not extend himself until the third, when he quit loose with a series of hard rights and lefts. There was really no question about the winner after the second round, as Yi Yi missed his blows and jabs up so neatly that he had Lucas confused a number of times.

Erne danced around Lucas in the fifth and sixth periods and slipped over several wicked jolts.

LOCAL BRED CHAMPS.

Both Hamburg Belle and Dubbs were New England raised. The former was raised in Connecticut, the latter in Massachusetts. Sadie Mae (2:06½), the Lead Lady of the champion three-year old trotting filly, were also bred in Massachusetts.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"I WILL PRAISE THE LORD, FOR I AM FEARFULLY AND WONDERFULLY MADE"

The Wonderful Feet We Have—By Nell Brinkley

The baby's doughy feet. The boy's bare feet. The scuffed boy's feet. The first high heels. The belle's silken-shod feet. The father's feet. The old feet that wait.

The Greatest Detective in the World

Story of Play "Arsene Lupin," now being presented by Charles Frohman

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CHAPTER VIII.—(Continued)

The Duke's Stratagem.

CHARMERACE swung the crane out, bring the lantern on it, called a couple of times to Guerchard and rushed over to the door leading to the family apartments. He knew that Sonia would have understood his message, and that she would be waiting. As he opened the door she was standing there, hooded and cloaked, ready for the street.

"Quick, quick, you and your pal!" the Duke said; "They are going to arrest you."

Clinging to him she took him she was afraid; that she did not want to go away from him. Guerchard's voice, remote, but distinct, urged him to hold the lantern a little to the right. He moved the crane and said to Sonia:

"Guerchard's pocketbook is in his overcoat. Give it to me."

With trembling hands she took out the pocketbook. The Duke slipped out one of the detective's cards, scribbled on it per mission for Sonia to leave the house, signed it with an excellent imitation of Guerchard's signature, which he had seen on some papers, and gave it to her.

Sonia's Escape.

"Now go, for God's sake!" he cried. "But come and see me to-morrow, if there is any reason why you can't come I will let you know. Where will you go?"

"To a little residence at Passy," she replied.

"What is its telephone?"

"No. 555 fourteen."

He caught her by the shoulders and hurried her toward the street door. There she was turned imploringly, he caught her to his arms and pressed his lips to hers. Then he turned back to the fireplace, took the lantern from the crane, swung it to and waited.

In a moment Guerchard reappeared. The Duke faced him with a smile of amusement almost mockery.

"Did you find the flowers?" he asked.

"There were no flowers there," Guerchard answered icily. "Strange, isn't it?"

"It is strange that you didn't find the flowers," the Duke replied.

Guerchard pressed the electric button, and Bourrin came in.

"Arrest Mademoiselle Kritchenoff at once," he ordered.

"But, Chief, Mademoiselle Kritchenoff went out ten minutes ago," Bourrin said.

"Idiot!" Guerchard screamed, his face white with rage. "Did I not order that no one was to leave this house without a written permit from me, over my signature?"

Two Prisoners Lost.

Bourrin fished in his pocket and brought out a card. Guerchard snatched it from him, read it, and then gave the Duke, who was still laughing at him, a venomous look. "Pricked," he exclaimed. "Scratched!"

He went over and picked up his overcoat, took his pocketbook and counted the cards which he had left there. One of them had been stolen. The Duke regarded him closely, with no sign of anxiety, only with that exasperating smile.

"Never mind," Guerchard said to Bourrin. "Has the van come for Victorin?"

"Yes, Chief, and the police wagon with it, half an hour ago Chief," Bourrin told him. "Therefore van has not come, shall I send it back?"

Guerchard did not need a diagram to know one of Arsene Lupin's tricks. The why that of his accomplices had sent a fake van and had taken away the real one. He had lost two prisoners.

It was useless to call at fate, and he dismissed Bourrin, turning malevolently to the Duke. Before he had a chance to speak the telephone rang, and he answered it.

"It is the gardener at the chateau," Guerchard said. Then, speaking into the telephone, he said:

"I want to know who went into the garden yesterday to get flowers. The Duke of Charmeryez? Thank you."

He hung up the telephone and turned significantly toward the still smiling young nobleman.

"You heard?" he asked.

"I heard," the Duke said and laughed in the detective's face.

CHAPTER IX.

A Duel of Wits.

THE little cluster of pink salvia which Guerchard had found on the steps of the house next door was the card called in the gardens of the chateau of Monsieur Gournay-Martin by the Duke of Charmerace. Of that Guerchard was now sure certain. He was positive in his own mind that the Duke had forged the permit by which Sonia was carried to safety.

He knew that the Duke had purposely led about the whole business in such a little next door and had sent him up the chimney on a fool's errand, so that he might be got out of the way.

He knew that the Duke had taken from Sonia's coat the pendant which would have sent her to jail.

But he could not prove any of these things to compel charges against the Duke, one of the most popular and powerful men in Paris, the husband of one of the richest heiresses, would have put him ridiculously and possible loss of position.

And worst of all, as he looked into the handsome, smiling face of the young man, he knew that he was being mocked at. The most astute detective in France played with as if he were a marionette on a string, played with by a youngster!

Charmerace read the thoughts of Guerchard and his eyes gleamed with amusement. He moved away from his stand in front of the fire and stepped jauntily into the arm chair in which the Superintendent Verdure had passed such an uncomfortable vigil.

Guerchard's Clew.

"Have a cigarette?" he asked Guerchard, holding out his case and preparing to light one himself.

"Americans?"

"No, Khedive specials."

"Thanks, not just now," Guerchard replied, hesitating to stride up and down the room. He was finding some difficulty in getting back his equilibrium. His feeling of being on firm ground behind his old mocking smile. His face had grown yellow, pasty-gray. He was in deeper water than he had ever been before, and he wondered which way land lay and how he might flounder ashore. The situation had not put on his nerves.

Guerchard entered hurriedly and saluted the Duke, who was sitting on the edge of the table, smoking, and examined it with growing interest.

"A Khedive special," he said. "That is the same kind of a cigarette you smoke, Monsieur Duke. Tell me, are there cigarettes like this at the home of your prospective father-in-law?"

"Yes, boxes of them on every table," the Duke replied.

"The thieves helped themselves to cigarettes as well as cotton at the chateau," Guerchard commented. "Then you have been there?"

Monsieur Gournay-Martin bustled in, his trotting dog in his hand, and followed by Germaine.

The Tiara Again

"Jacques, we are going to the Ritz," he said. His agitation seemed to have grown greater during the evening. "We can't stay here. And, listen," dropping his voice mysteriously, "do not take the tiara with me to safety. It is in this bag."

Guerchard was chatting with Germaine, his companions having returned. The Duke listened smilingly to the old gentleman.

"Don't you think you are running a great risk?" he suggested. "If the Lupin has made up his mind to get the tiara, the fact that it is in your possession may involve you in personal danger."

Terror and bewilderment overspread Monsieur Gournay-Martin. He gasped at this new possibility.

"I—I—I hadn't thought of that," he said shockingly. "Jacques, do you think I can trust Guerchard?"

"I think you may trust him," the menace assured him.

Monsieur Gournay-Martin opened his bag, took out a jewel case and opened it, disclosing the glistening cluster of gems that formed the tiara of the Princess of Lombard.

"Isn't it a beauty?" he cried ecstatically. "Monsieur Guerchard," he said to the detective, "my daughter and I are going to the Ritz. I am going to entrust this tiara to you for safe keeping."

"I was going to suggest that I take care of it for you," Guerchard replied suavely, receiving the box into his hands.

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"Yes, I'll come along," Charmerace said, tossing up his coat and hat, but Guerchard interposed softly.

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"No, no, Jacques," Gournay-Martin said. "Two are better than one. We'll leave you here to help guard the tiara. Good-night, all."

"Good-night, Germaine said, "but not good-bye. You know you were supporting all night and have had no sleep."

Guerchard seemed to find new interest in this disclosure as Gournay-Martin and Germaine left. He dropped into a chair and spent a moment in silent thought with his head in his hands, his brows knit together.

"I didn't know that you had been motoring last night, Your Grace," he said.

"Yes, I was," the Duke answered.

"You were late in arriving here. What kind of a machine did you have?"

"A 100-horsepower."

"Something must have broken down, then."

"Yes, I had an accident on the road about 2 o'clock this morning."

"Ah! Did anyone else see the accident?"

Guerchard's tone was softly insinuating. Interpreting that, Charmerace replied:

"I said it was 2 o'clock in the morning."

"Oh, of course."

"Have a cigarette," the Duke said, after another few minutes of silence, lighting one for himself. "But I forgot. You only smoke cigars."

(To Be Continued To-morrow.)

A Rich Family's Quarrel.

"Think, love!" said Mrs. Gobea Golde. "I ordered a dinner gown, and that tiresome dressmaker has sent me a traveling costume."

"Well, what are you going to do about it?" Gobea Golde demanded.

"The only thing is for us to go abroad again," she sighed.

They had quarrelled again.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

HAVE you watched them go in and out, standing, sidling, undulating, marching, like, and thought about 'em? Your feet!

The shapely, fine-lumped, marvelous, soled runners, carrying the burden of life almost equally with your quietly pounding heart, almost as enduring and tireless. They carry the soul around with them.

Some have gypsied men all over the green earth, and *these* feet are brown and dusty, and clingers to the soil, the real mother-earth; they go back to it, they tread it, they call for it and dream of it when they are away from it, shut in the sole-barren city streets; some of these gypsy feet are the wildest, wildest wanderers over the world, yet they have brought the life they carried to some bright star of ambition; but the gypsy way is out of the world's way, a wanton way, and it leads away from the stars of the world's work, and its tenders are sure almost always obscure.

Some of those gypsy feet long and hurt for the green earth, and never leave the asphalt; some of these gypsy feet go wild for the open road and play hooky for a brief instant with the earth that calls them; gypsy feet are of the earth, her children, and when she calls they come.

There are white, fiery, tense feet that travel the silver way to a star; unearthly feet, that are seekers and tread the very star-dust, carrying their love out of our grasp and understanding; starry feet that bring back spoil from unknown fields and give it to us in words that we may read and wonder at the poet feet, the painter, the tide-maker, the weaver, the musician, the seekers, they that know fairy paths and walk there.

Feet That Never Loiter

There are fat feet that mope; and stupid feet that plod and never turn aside for a flower by the road or loiter for the splendor of the spreading sunset that stops and goes the world.

There are tired feet that have travelled hard and never seem to find the rose paths or even the pleasant healing dust of a smooth lane—all their roads are clods and ruts and wounding stones.

There are tender feet that tread, marvelously, their way through a network of rough country and find only the shady, flower-petalled hidden paths.

There are graceful feet, and warrior-feet that always seem to find a fight.

The feet tire with the heart. When the heart slows they grow uncertain and totter-ing and are prone to sit down by the way and fuse on the back trail and not dream of the highway any more. And when the heart dies the feet grow cold and still and stiff.

The lover dreams of the feet of his lady and calls them, in his heart, little white sprays of dogwood blossom and wishes he might some day hold them, the two, in his hand when they were cold. Poets have written of them and their strength and song of a damsel and "the silver of her feet."

Feet have been eased and shod in velvet and skins and jewels and broidery and satin, with high heels and none; they are bound and tormented in one heathen country and left free and graceful in another.

Men have sat at wine feet to learn the wisdom of their journeying, they have kissed the feet of a queen's and the woman's they love.

The gentle Christ washed the quarreling feet of His disciples to point the way those quarreling feet should go.

The Witchery of Child Feet

The mother cuddles and crushes the fat feet that are so doughy and no-good, and pretty, yet that they give her baby strength to grow, to run, to struggle, and with cold around her heart what path they will harden their rose-leaf on; poor little baby feet, heavy with prophecy and tender with their newness.

The idling stranger dabs a wistful weep eye while he watches the little, plump, little ten-year-old feet starting so white at the beginning of Summer and coming out in the Autumn a beautiful auburn-tan; feet that by all day long, that know the squish of mud between their toes, and the spurt of dust, the smooth cold of the sleek, singing brook, the brush of flowers against their ankles, the deep, sweet terror of crawling jungles of grass; feet that tread fairy paths *then* if they never go again, wise *then*, if they never are again.

The stranger whispers, "You are close to earth, child feet, you draw from her life—but you never will be again—unless you turn gypsy."

The sunb-nosed, scuffed boy's feet—his mother scories about 'em; the very earth grows things in a wink for him to scrape and knock them against.

They are cut and bandaged and their shoes are weary, reckless, past-caring, dusty things as they sit dead-tired by his bed at night—but, oh, the joy they know!

The Tragedies They Show

Feet just growing up and wanting to take the trail—innocent—full of youth's scorn of snags; daring, jaunty little feet that are the crossroads where the bypaths run into the great universal highway.

The belle's pretty silken feet, with the soft, faint rose of flesh showing through the silk, paper-shod, in embroidery and cloth of gold and little buckles—feet that are eyed and worshipped, maybe, by one man—but—four! Little feet that have trod on hearts and are very gay.

And the father's feet—maybe you see them in the scant room coming from your shine." Maybe your father is old and has plenty now, but you remember, and you know these "father's feet." Worn, tired feet that never complain—that have plodded back and forth through long life, their shoes so old and patched and apologetic and humble, carefully cared and made to last, monstrous soles bought heavy so they may wear long, ugly and patient.

Here's drinking tears to the army of "father's feet."

And then the feet that have sat down by the side of the road to wait, prone to moan and not dream of the forward trail; any more—feet that are shrinking and growing colder—so that the tide and the clock that ever drew them wither to their shape—And what ways have they known? And have they forgotten?

Do they see other trails that might have led—and wonder sometimes—or are they content because they are wise and have learned much? And all trails look alike under the mist that is closing over them? Maybe.

NELL BRINKLEY.

The Perfume of the Lady in Black

A Thrilling, Absorbing Story by the Author of "The Mystery of the Yellow Room"

By GASTON LEROUX.

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Chapter XIII.—Continued.

BUT Darzac had seen the same thing, for he made a hasty step in that direction.

But at that very moment the panel swung open before them, flushed by an invisible hand it turned on its hinges. The Lady in Black tried to cry out, but her tongue clove to the roof of her mouth. But she made a gesture of terror and bewilderment which threw the wax candle to the ground at the very moment when a shadowy form issued from the panel. Uttering a cry of rage, Robert Darzac rushed upon the figure.

"And that shadow—that shadow had a voice that you could see?" interrupted Rouletabille. "Mamma, why did you not see the face? You have killed the shadow, but how do we know that it was Larsan, if you did not see his face? Perhaps you have not even killed Larsan's shadow."

"Oh, yes," she replied, almost listlessly. "He is dead." And then for a moment she said no more.

And I looked at Rouletabille, asking myself: Who could have been killed if it were not Larsan? If Mathilde had not seen his face, she had certainly heard his voice. She shuddered yet at the recollection—she heard it yet. And Bernier, too, had heard the voice and recognized it—that terrible voice of Larsan's; the voice of Ballmeyer, who in that fearful conflict in the middle of the night had remained dead to Roberte Darzac.

"Is this how will end your life?" while Darzac could only groan in the tones of a dying man. "Mathilde! Mathilde!" Ah, how he had cried to her!—how he had called with the cry that is thrown to him by one already vanquished and in the shadow of death!

And she—she had only to throw her own shadow, swooning with terror, into the midst of those other shadows, while the man she loved called upon her, at the risk of his own life, and which could not come from elsewhere. And then, suddenly, Mathilde came the placid she, and she had uttered that terrible shriek—the shriek she had been awaiting for her. "Who was dead? Who was living? Who was speaking? Whose voice would she hear?"

And then it was Robert who spoke.

Rouletabille took the Lady in Black into his arms once more, lifted her up and carried her tenderly to the door of her own room. And there, he said to her: "Mamma, you must keep me now. I have work to do—for you, for myself."

"Don't leave me! I beg of you not to leave me until Robert comes back!" she cried in terror. "Stay with me and promise to remain near me if she would come her self!" Someone knocked at the door of the corridor. Rouletabille paused who was there and the voice of Darzac answered.

"At last!" cried Rouletabille, and he threw the door open.

The man who entered looked like a corpse. Never was human face so pallid so bloodless, so devoid of all semblance of life. So many emotions had passed his visage that it expressed not a single one.

"Ah! you were there!" he said. "Well, it is over."

And he fell into the chair from which Rouletabille had just raised the Lady in Black. He looked up at her.

"Your wish is realized," he said. "It is where you wished to be."

"Did you see the face?" questioned Rouletabille excitedly.

"No," answered Darzac, wearily. "I have not seen it. Did you think that I was going to open the sack?"

"I think that Rouletabille would have shown a little more curiosity than that," the contrary, he turned to M. Darzac and said:

"Ah, you did not see his face. That's very good, indeed.' And he pressed his hand affectionately.

"One important thing now," he went on, "is not that, at all. It is necessary that we should close the circle. And you will help us do that, M. Darzac. Wait a minute."

And almost joyously, he threw himself down on all fours and crawled among the furniture and under the bed. And from time to time, he raised his head to say:

"I shall find something—something that will save us."

Bernier, looking at M. Darzac: "Aren't we saved already?"

"Yes," said our brains," Rouletabille went on.

"The key is right!" exclaimed M. Darzac, "It is absolutely necessary for us to know what man got into the room."

Suddenly Rouletabille rose to his feet, holding in his hand a revolver which he had found under the panel.

"Now we have found his revolver!" cried M. Darzac. "Fortunately, he did not have time to use it."

As he spoke M. Darzac took from his pocket his own revolver—the revolver which had save his life—and held it out to the young man.

"This is a good weapon!" he said.

And Rouletabille returned M. Darzac's weapon and put Larsan's in his pocket.

"Of what use is it to be armed now?" cried M. Darzac, shaking his head. "I assure you it is quite futile."

"You believe so?" demanded Rouletabille.

"I am certain of it."

Rouletabille made a few steps through the room and said:

"With Larsan, one can never be sure of anything. Where is he now?"

M. Darzac replied:

"Ask my wife. I want to forget all about it. I know nothing more about this terrible affair. When the remembrance of that dreadful journey shall return to me, I shall try to make myself believe that it was a nightmare. And I will drive it away. Never speak to me of it again. No one save Mme. Darzac knows where the body is. She may tell you, if she likes. But I have forgotten, too!" said Mathilde. "I was obliged to do so."

"Nevertheless," insisted Rouletabille, shaking his head, "you must tell me. You said that he was in his agony. Are you sure that he is dead now?"

"I am perfectly sure," replied M. Darzac, simply.

"Oh, it is finished. Is it not entirely ended?" pleaded Mathilde. She arose and walked to the window. "See! there is the sun! This cabin is right to dead—dead, forever! Everything is over!"

Rouletabille opened the door leading into the corridor and called Bernier and his wife.

They did not wish to enter, but he insisted on their doing so, as a general consultation took place from which we deduced the following facts:

(1) Rouletabille had visited the apartment at five o'clock and searched behind the panel and at that time there was no one in the room.

(2) From five o'clock the door of the apartment had been twice opened by Pere Bernier, who alone had the right to open it, once at seven o'clock to admit M. and Mme. Darzac.

(3) Bernier had locked the door of the apartment when M. Darzac went out with us between a quarter past and half-past six.

(4) The door of the apartment had been locked and bolted by M. Darzac as soon as he entered his room, both in the afternoon and in the evening.

(5) Bernier had stood guard before the door of the apartment from five till eleven o'clock, with the brief interruption of not more than two minutes at six o'clock.

When we had discussed and fully established these facts, Rouletabille, who was sitting at M. Darzac's desk taking notes, suddenly exclaimed:

"So far, it is very simple. We have only two hours, from five o'clock to seven. Bernier was off guard about six o'clock. At that time, no one was behind it. It was you, M. Darzac. Can you reiterate, after a thoroughly searching examination of not more than two minutes at six o'clock, you positively closed the door and drew the bolt?"

"I can," replied M. Darzac, solemnly; and he added: "I opened that door only when you and Sainclair knocked upon it. I swear it."

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Sweethearts at Seventy-Five

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

UP in the mountains where I am staying there are two sweethearts who engage a great deal of my attention. It's my business to be interested in sweethearts, you know, and I don't often find any quite so interesting as these two, for the man is all of seventy-five and the woman is very nearly that age.

He is a straight-backed, white-haired, rugged old gentleman, who looks as though he might have been a sailor or a soldier in his youth.

And as for her—well, she is just the dainties little Dresden china old lady you ever saw. Just the kind of a woman you know would hold the love and devotion of a man for over half a century.

She has snow-white curls and pink cheeks and a pair of dark eyes that must have led her sweetheart a fine dance in the days of their youth.

They walk together arm in arm every morning after breakfast—"We were always great walkers," she says with an air of pride—and though the walk is now the gentlest of promenades they start out as though they meant to walk miles.

Fifty-Seven Years Together

The man is just as much the woman's devoted lover as he was on the day he wooed and won her. For fifty-seven years they have led a life of perfect companionship and love.

When I told her that I was interested in all love affairs, and that I thought hers was one of the sweetest I had ever watched, she blushed like a girl.

"Ah, my dear," she said, in her sweet, quavering old voice, "you get to know a man pretty well after you have lived with him even a year, but you can go on learning things about him even at the end of fifty years. My married life has indeed been a blessed one, and I think the chief reason is that from the very first we agreed to be perfectly honest with each other, and to have respect for each other's opinions, likes and dislikes."

"Half the trouble with young married people," she went on to say, "is not only that they marry without being quite sure of the wisdom of their choice, but each expects too much of the other. They make no allowance for having been brought up in widely different surroundings.

"Tell your young friends that they must expect to make a few mistakes during the first year of their marriages and that they must be patient and forgiving. Tell the young wife not to be critical of her husband's old friends and never to make the mistake of being cool to the girls he pays attention to before he met her. Let her be satisfied with the fact that she is the one he loved best and asked to be his wife.

"Tell her not to run to mother with every complaint; it is not fair to her husband.

Give Him Liberty

"And tell the husband that he must remember that everything is new and strange to the young wife. She is just a little bit frightened and lonely when she thinks of all the responsibilities which lie before her, with mother to turn to every minute for advice and comfort.

"I have been a wonderfully happy woman," she went on after a moment's pause, "but we had our ups and downs just at first. But we never sulked and we never slept on our grievances; we always talked them out, and they usually turned out to be nothing at all when explained.

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Among the Sabbath service announcements unusual interest attaches to that of Tremont Temple, where the Rev. Cortland Myers, the new pastor, preaches to-morrow for the first time as pastoral head.

Dr. Myers comes from Brooklyn to succeed Rev. F. B. Hresson. He arrived in Boston on Friday and went to the Hotel Bellevue for temporary quarters.

At the Clarendon Street Baptist Church Rev. James A. Francis will preach at both services.

The Rev. R. M. Green of Brooklyn, N. Y., will occupy the morning and evening services at the Dudley Street Baptist Church.

The Rev. Nathan E. Wood will preach both services at the First Baptist Church.

At the farewell Sunday for the Rev. J. Stanley Durkee at the First Free Baptist Church, he will preach on "God Will Take Care of You," at the morning service. The "Reflections" will be his evening topic.

At the Ruggles Street Baptist Church, Baily day will be held. The Rev. C. C. McCollester will preach both services.

"Old Wells Dug Out," will be the morning topic of the Rev. Herbert Wilson at the Warren Avenue Baptist Church, in the evening, "The Value of the North Pole."

"Substance" will be the topic at the morning and afternoon services at the First Church of Christ, Scientist.

At the South Church the Rev. James L. McConnell of Providence will preach both services. The Rev. Edwin Hodge Irwin will preach in the evening at Hope Chapel.

The Rev. A. Z. Conrad will preach on "The Glorious Consumption of Discipleship" at the morning service. In the evening he will preach on "The Key to the Wells of Our Universe."

The Rev. A. A. Berle will preach at both services at the Shawmut Congregational Church. The topics, "The Church a Moral Power House," and "The Call of the City."

At the Central Church, the Rev. John Hopkins Denison will preach at both morning and afternoon services.

"For Herod Feared John" will be the morning topic of the Rev. Allen A. Stockdale at the Union Congregational Church. "The Men Who Cannot Be Bought" will be the evening subject.

The Rev. Frank Bohn Dawson will preach at the morning service at St. Paul's Church.

The Rev. E. C. Tuthill will preach at the morning and afternoon services at Trinity Church.

"The Defeat of Herod" and "Lessons from the North Pole," will be the topics of the Rev. George W. King at the morning and evening services at the Columbian Avenue Universalist Church.

At the First Reformed Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Samuel McNaugher will preach at both services.

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Business Men and the Income Tax

We shall hear much from now on about the proposed income tax amendment to the national constitution. The Legislature of Massachusetts will have the question before it this Winter. There may be some debate, some fiery protests by representatives of the big corporations. There may be no action taken this year or the next. There is no way to hasten action upon this question.

A few thoughts on the income tax question may not be out of place at this time. Look at the proposed tax for a moment from the standpoint of the average business man.

The income tax has been urged as a relief to men of small means and to the overburdened poor. But there is as much good to be said of it from the point of view of men of **LARGE** means engaged in great enterprises.

A properly graduated income tax, embracing all incomes above the living wage, is of all taxes the least burdensome to business men.

This is true, because there is no other kind of taxation that offers a man remission and relief in the times when his business is bad, and exacts its toll only in the **GOOD** times when one is **ABLE** to bear it.

It spares him in his adversity and asks only to participate in his prosperity.

Like the ancient tithes of Scripture and of the immemorial religious tradition, it lays its weighty burdens only upon years of plenty.

On the other hand, it is the vice of the more familiar methods of taxation that they grind their heels upon defeat.

A tax upon personal property levies its toll upon a stock of merchandise, whether it can be sold or not.

A land tax is charged in the rent of stores or factories, whether the business succeeds or fails.

A license tax must be paid **BEFORE** a trial can be made of one's undertaking.

A poll tax confounds the weak with the strong.

And an impost or excise raises the prices of commodities without respect of fortune.

It is only the income tax that will stand and wait upon the issues of enterprise, asking to be paid only when it is **EASY** to pay.

The industrial and mercantile classes of every degree will experience a marked relief when the income tax shall draw these privileged people into participation in the public burdens.

And, finally, business men will reap an immense advantage through the introduction of a system of taxation that will not disturb but will tend to establish and standardize the prices of commodities.

For a large proportion of business failures are due to incalculable fluctuations in prices caused by tariff-tinkering and the everchanging incidence of our complex schemes of indirect taxation.

A storm of objections has been raised against the taxation of incomes, but they are levelled not against the principle, but against the supposed difficulties of its application.

Thus it is said that the administration of the tax is difficult because it is too direct and downright in its operation or that it presupposes too much honesty in the people.

But no statesman, economist or journalist of reputation dares, or ever has dared, to risk that reputation in an assault upon the principle that men should share with the state the **PROSPERITY** of their business and should be **RELIEVED** from public burdens in the times of their private adversity.

Forcing Men to Drink Whiskey

That Is the **RESULT** of Prohibition With Its Unwise Effort at Temperance

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The other day, for the fiftieth time, a judge handed down a decision that in localities ruled by prohibitionists the individual has a right to keep his own private locker in his club, billiard-room, or elsewhere.

This decision is, of course, based on the law as it stands. It is a decision due to the efforts of the prohibitionists, and it is a decision that **PROMOTES DRUNKENNESS.**

If you give a man the right to keep a locker in a club, **HE KEEPS WHISKEY, OR SOME DRINK LIKE IT, IN THAT LOCKER.** And when he drinks, he drinks whiskey, or some other poisonous drink.

You can't keep beer or light wines in a locker. Such temperate drinks must be kept in a cool place.

When you make drinking secret, when the judge says you must hide away your drink as you would hide away a vice, the really temperate drinks are driven out, **AND WHISKEY IS MADE THE KING.**

The prohibitionists—honest, well-meaning people—are **THE BEST FRIENDS OF WHISKEY.** They cannot drive out alcohol in all its forms. They cannot prevent men from drinking if they will, for the judges say that a man may have his locker.

But prohibitionists can, and they do, discourage and prevent the use of the really temperate drinks, **AND IN THAT WAY THEY FORCE UPON MEN, AND INCREASE THE USE OF WHISKEY.**

We received the other day a pathetic letter from a man describing his troubles and his downfall caused by whiskey. He lived and worked successfully in a community where prohibition did not rule. It was his habit to drink a small amount of beer daily. This agreed with him and did not harm him. Prohibitionists succeeded in stopping the sale of beer, and they succeeded in making this man try whiskey in place of beer, **AND THEY MADE A DRUNKARD OUT OF HIM.**

It is just as harmful, stupid and criminal for prohibitionists to drive out the use of beer and light wines, thus compelling the use of whiskey and other poisons, as it would be for some other collection of earnest, well-meaning fanatics to drive out the use of tobacco, **AND COMPEL THE USE OF OPIUM.**

You cannot compel men to change their habits. You can drive them into a worse habit by depriving them of one harmless, or relatively harmless. And that is just what the prohibitionist does in spite of all his good intentions.

Fascinating Mystery Story Free

The opening chapters of "The Mystery of the Red Room," by that prince of literary mystifiers, William Le Quex, will appear in

Sunday's Boston American

AIN'T YOU SORRY?

By F. OPPER

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1—After the man behind you at the theatre has disturbed you by humming and beating time with his foot on the back of your seat—

2—and he has continued to disturb you by talking to his companion in a loud voice—

3—and he has disturbed you some more by reaching over you for ice water—

4—if this happens to the man behind you? Don't you feel FRIGHTFULLY sorry for the man behind you?

LET ME SEE YOUR TICKETS! YOU'RE IN THE WRONG SEATS. THESE TICKETS ARE FOR THE BACK ROW IN THE GALLERY. SOME SPECULATOR STUNG YOU.
USHER
F. Opper

Never Again!

By T. E. Powers

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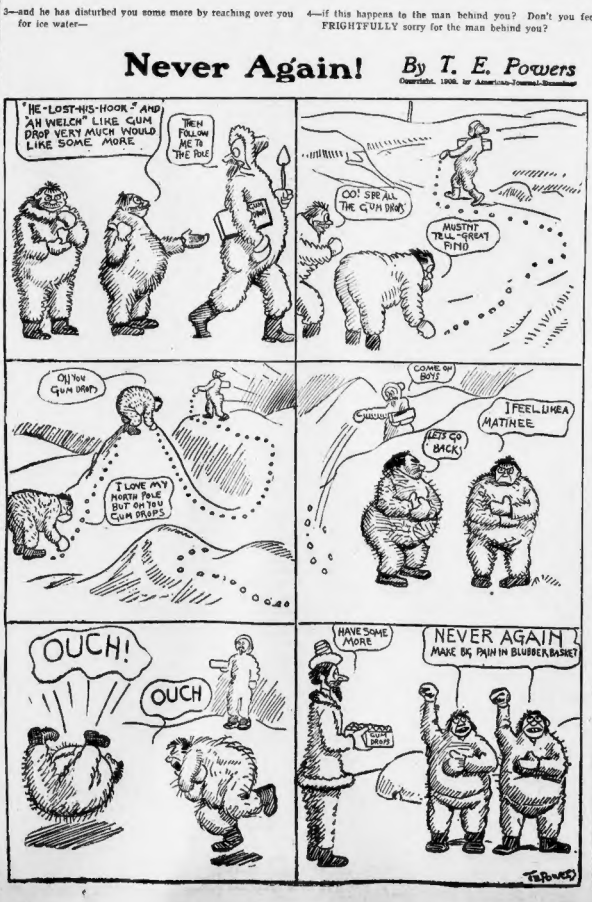
"HE-LOST-HIS-HOOK-" AND "AH WELCH" LIKE GUM DROP VERY MUCH WOULD LIKE SOME MORE.
THEN FOLLOW ME TO THE POLE
GO! SEE ALL THE GUM DROPS
MUSTN'T TELL—GREAT FIND
OH YOU GUM DROPS
I LOVE MY NORTH POLE BUT OH YOU GUM DROPS
COME ON BOYS
I FEEL LIKE A MATINEE
LET'S GO BACK!
OUCH!
OUCH
HAVE SOME MORE
NEVER AGAIN
MAKE ME PAIN IN BLUBBER BASKET
GUM DROPS
T.E. POWERS

ELBERT HUBBARD'S ARTICLE —ON— PROGRESS AND POVERTY

Especially Written for the American

By ELBERT HUBBARD

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"PROGRESS AND POVERTY," like every other great book for great men, was an accident. The book was ten years in the incubation.

It began with a newspaper editorial in 1869 and found form in a volume of 500 pages in 1879.

The editorial merely called attention to the fact that California, in spite of her vast wealth was peopled, for the most part, with people desperately poor; and that ground in the vicinity of any city, town or place of enterprise was held at so exorbitant a figure that the poor were actually enslaved by the men who owned the land. That is to say, the men who owned the land controlled the people who had to live on it, for man is a land animal, and cannot live apart from land any more than fishes can live at a distance from water. And, moreover, we tax for the improvements on land, thus really placing a premium on enterprise.

The article attracted attention, and opened the eyes of one man at least—and that was the man who wrote it. He had written better than he knew, and any writer who does not occasionally surprise himself does not write well.

Henry George had surprised himself, and he wrote another editorial to explain the first. These editorials extended themselves into a series, and kind-political and sane-papered, were reprinted in pamphlet form in 1871, under the title of "Our Land Policy."

The temerity which prompted the printing of this pamphlet was evolved through a letter from John Stuart Mill. Henry George knew he was right in his conclusions, but he felt that he needed the corroboration of a great mind that had grappled with abstruse problems, so he sent one of his editorials to Mill, the greatest living intellect of his time.

Mill showed his interest by replying in a long letter, wherein he addressed George as a man with a mind equal to his own, not a sophomore trying his wings. The letter from Mill was to him a white indipost. The corroboration gave him courage, confidence, poise.

The thousand copies of this pamphlet cost Henry George seventy-five dollars. The retail price was twenty-five cents each. Twenty-one copies were sold. The rest were given away to good people who promised to read them.

As the years passed, Henry George was gathering gear; he was getting an education. Providence was preparing him for his work. All he expressed by tongue or pen had land, labor, production and distribution in mind. He was getting acquainted with every phase of the subject—anticipating the objections, meeting the objectors, opening up side paths.

And so in 1878, when he sat down to write a magazine article on "Our Governor and Land Policy" the air was full of reasons. Soon the article stretched itself beyond magazine length, and in order to cover the theme he set down headings:

1. Wages.
2. Capital.
3. Division of Labor.
4. Population.
5. Subsistence.
6. Rent.
7. Interest.
8. The Remedy for Unequal Distribution.

He wrote all one night—wrote in a fever. The next day his pulse got back to normal, and all taking the matter over with his wife he decided to begin it all over and work his philosophy up into a book, writing as he could only one or two hours a day.

He was absolutely without capital, dependent on his income from space writing in the daily newspapers, but he began and the work grew.

It was all done on "stolen time," to use the phrase of Macaulay, and, therefore, vital, for things done because you have to do them—done to get rid of them—contain the red corpuscle.

On March 22, 1879, the precious bundle of manuscript was shipped to D. Appleton & Company, New York.

The publishers agreed that if the author would advance money for the electrotype plates they would undertake the publication.

But, alas! the author was in the proverbial author's condition. On the offer being laid before Henry George by mail he replied that he could make the electrotype plates himself. He was a type-setter, and had friends who would give him the use of their printing outfits. The offer was satisfactory to the Appletons.

Henry George received all the recognition that any thinker and writer could desire from August, 1880, to the day of his death, October 28, 1897. Men might not agree with him and his conclusions, but few indeed dare meet him in a duel of argument, either by pen or upon the public platform.

He spoke in churches, halls and private parlors. His newspaper and magazine articles commanded a price. He met the greatest minds of America and Europe on an equal footing.

In Europe his book was having a sale far beyond what it had met with at home. And when he spoke in London and the chief cities of Great Britain the halls were packed to suffocation. He appealed to the Messianic instinct of the English workingmen, and they hailed him as the coming man—their deliverer.

Henry George was right in the class with Spencer, Huxley and Tyndall, none of whom, happily, was a college man, and, therefore, all were free from the handicap of dead learning and ossified opinion, and saw things as if they were new.

The mind of Henry George was a flower of slow growth. At thirty-seven he was just reaching mental manhood. According to all reasonable tables of expectancy he should have rivalled Humboldt and been at his prime at eighty. His brain was the brain of Ricardo, but instead of sticking to his books, he got caught in the swirl of politics, and was matched up with the cheap, the selfish, the grasping. The people who snatched Henry George out of his proper sphere as a thinker, writer and lecturer, and flung him into the turmoil of practical politics were of exactly the class who would, if they could, have a little later ridden him on a rail.

It was all a little like that speech of a man in Indianapolis who nominated James Whitcomb Riley for the presidency of the United States. The mob diluted the thought of Henry George and bred his proud and honest heart into the nitre.

Had he been elected Mayor of New York, he could have done little or nothing for reform, for a Mayor has only the power delegated to him by the ward boss and the genus heeler. Beyond this he can merely apply the emergency brake by the use of the veto.

Henry George was a racehorse hitched by enthusiasts to an overloaded jaunting car with a drunken driver, bound for Donnybrook Fair.

And soon men said he was dead.

More Polar Paragraphs

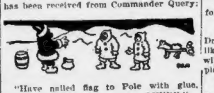
—By WEX JONES—

COPENHAGEN—Scientific circles are greatly aroused over the report from Poodle Harbor that Commander Query says Eskimos cannot eat gumdrops without getting toothache. Explorer Snook characterizes this statement as a short and ugly slander, and declares that he will lay proofs before the scientists of the world.

To a large number of newspaper men Explorer Snook stated that the Eskimos did not chew the gumdrops, but merely let them melt in their mouths, a process which prevents wear of the molars and thus avoids toothache.

In addition Explorer Snook ridicules Commander Query's claim that he kept his Eskimos up to the mark on ice cream. He says the cold—295 degrees below zero, centigrade—would freeze the ice cream and render it useless for anything but building houses.

Poodle Harbor—The following dispatch has been received from Commander Query:



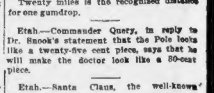
"Have nailed flag to Pole with glue. This is O. K. QUERY."

Dresden—Professor Hasenpfeffer, the famous astronomer, says that Snook must be a man of wonderful physical endurance to have remained on the Pole for two days, as he says he did. Professor Hasenpfeffer points out that the polar ice pack drifts eastward at the rate of nine miles an hour. Consequently to stay on the Pole a man would have to run westward at the same speed. To keep this up for two days would necessitate the endurance of a mustang.

Utah.—A report is current among the Eskimos to the effect that two American explorers met at the North Pole and shot each other. So far as the Eskimos understand the conversation one explorer accused the other of stealing his gumdrops, while the second discoverer asserted that his trained dogs had been used as frankfurters by the opposing party. The dispute culminated in the double shooting.

Vienna.—Professor Goulache, in a statement issued to-day, says that science has no use for the man walking behind a sled. What science wants is a trained observer who will get his toes frozen off to see if it hurts. Also an expert who can estimate the number of snowflakes required to make a glacier. The present trip to the Pole Professor Goulache calls "vaudeville science." He thinks the Pole should be brought down where it could be examined at leisure.

Knocknook (Special).—A message from Ootitoot, northern Greenland, says that Dr.



Snook's leading native assistant, has been kicked out of the Polar Union for walking twenty-three miles for a gumdrop.

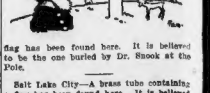
Twenty miles is the recognized distance for one gumdrop.

Utah.—Commander Query, in reply to Dr. Snook's statement that the Pole looks like a twenty-five cent piece, says that he will make the doctor look like a 50-cent piece.

Utah.—Santa Claus, the well-known Eskimo, declares that no one has been at the Pole since he took up his residence there. He hopes that no explorers will come up there, as he doesn't want to lose any of his reindeer.

Copenhagen.—Instead of telling it to the marines, they now tell it to the King.

Honolulu.—A brass tube containing a



flag has been found here. It is believed to be the one buried by Dr. Snook at the Pole.

Salt Lake City.—A brass tube containing a flag has been found here. It is believed to be the one buried by Dr. Snook at the South Pole.

Melbourne, Vienna, Cairo, Delhi, Chicago, Lyons, etc.—Ditto.